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A 2020 file photo of the Indian Army handing over 13 yaks and four calves that strayed across the Line of Actual Control in east Arunachal Pradesh, to China | PTI

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US SAYS IT RECOGNISES ARUNACHAL PRADESH AS INDIA'S INTEGRAL PART

US opposes any unilateral attempts to advance territorial claims by renaming areas, White House Press Secretary Karine Jean-Pierre said

CHINA CLAIMS IT'S STANDARDISING NAMES

China on Wednesday justified the act of renaming. Chinese foreign ministry spokesperson Mao Ning said: "Zangnan (Chinese name for Arunachal) is part of China. In accordance with relevant stipulations of the administration of geographical names of the State Council, competent authorities of the Chinese govt have standardised the names of some parts of Zangnan"

ALWAYS REJECTED CHINESE CLAIMS, SAYS US

- Reiterating its stand on Arunchal Pradesh, the US said that Washington has always recognised the territory as an integral part of India
- "This is something that we have long stood by," Jean-Pierre told reporters on Wednesday
- On Tuesday, India had outrightly rejected China's renaming of places

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NUMBER OF INDIAN AREAS CHINA HAS RENAMED IN THREE PHASES SINCE 2017

CHENNAI ▪ MADURAI ▪ VIJAYAWADA ▪ BENGALURU ▪ KOCHI ▪ HYDERABAD ▪ VISAKHAPATNAM ▪ COIMBATORE ▪ KOZHIKODE ▪ THIRUVANANTHAPURAM ▪ BELAGAVI ▪ BHUBANESWAR ▪ SHIVAMOGGA ▪ MANGALURU ▪ TIRUPATI ▪ TIRUCHY ▪ TIRUNELVELI ▪ SAMBALPUR ▪ HUBBALLI ▪ DHARMAPURI ▪ KOTTAYAM ▪ KANNUR ▪ VILLUPURAM ▪ KOLLAM ▪ TADEPALLIGUDEM ▪ NAGAPATTINAM ▪ THRISSUR ▪ KALABURAGI

Oppn gambit to rein in CBI, ED fails in SC

SHRUTI KAKKAR @New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Wednesday refused to entertain a plea by 14 Opposition parties against the alleged misuse of Central law enforcing agencies like the CBI and ED by the Union government against political opponents. The pleas filed by the Congress, TMC, AAP, JMM, JDU, BRS, RJD, SP, Uddhav faction of the Shiv Sena, NC, NCP, CPI, CPM and DMK had urged the court to lay down guidelines for law enforcing agencies and courts on remand, arrest and bail.

"Political leaders stand absolutely on the same footing as that of the citizens of the country. They are entitled to the same protection of due process of law and they are not entitled to higher immunity. When you say that the space of the Opposition is being crunched, the answer to that lies in the political space and not in the court," a bench of Chief Justice of India D Y Chandrachud and Justice J B Pardiwala remarked.

Noting that the data highlighted in the plea "only pertained to politicians", the court said laying down general principles of law which would also be applicable to ordinary citizens would be a dangerous proposition in the absence of specific facts.

Arguing the joint plea before the court, senior advocate A M Singhvi said the alarming rise of incidents of wanton arrest of opposition political figures by the CBI/ED has a chilling effect on constitutionally protected activities, making the democratic playing field uneven. he said the Opposition together represents 42.57% of the vote share in the 2019 general elections for the Lok Sabha, adding if the political leaders of these parties are affected, the people in their constituency will also be affected.

The moment you say 'democracy, basic structure, skewed application of law to political leaders', then this plea is essentially for politicians. You can't say that political leaders have no access to courts

- SC bench

The Opposition had urged the court to lay down a triple test — determination as to whether a person is a flight risk, whether there is a reasonable apprehension of the tampering of evidence, or the influencing/intimidation of witnesses — for police officers/ ED officials and courts. In case the pleas are not satisfied, the parties urged the court to lay down alternatives like interrogation for fixed hours or at most house arrest.

Sensing the bench's disinclination to consider the plea, Singhvi sought permission to withdraw the petition, which was granted.

Criticism of govt isn't anti-establishment: SC

SHRUTI KAKKAR @New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Wednesday lit into the Ministry of Home Affairs (MHA) for invoking national security out of 'thin air' to deny broadcasting rights to Malayalam channel Media One, adding criticism of the government cannot be termed anti-establishment.

Directing the Ministry of Information and Broadcasting (MIB) to renew the channel's broadcasting permission within four weeks, a bench of Chief Justice of India D Y Chandrachud and Justice Hima Kohli said non renewal falls within the purview of restriction on freedom of press.

"The critical views of the Channel, Media-One on policies of the government cannot be termed, 'anti-establishment'... The action of the MIB by denying a security clearance to a media channel on the basis of the views which the channel is constitutionally entitled to hold produces a chilling effect on free speech, and in particular on press freedom. Criticism of governmental policy can by no stretch of imagination be brought withing the fold of any of the grounds stipulated in Article 19(2)."

Dwelling on the independence of the press, the court said the government has to accept criticism and cannot expect all sections of the media to take a homogenised view. "An independent press is vital for the robust functioning of a democratic republic... The press has a duty to speak truth to power.. The restriction on the freedom of the press compels citizens to think along the same tangent. A homogenised view on issues that range from socio-economic polity to political ideologies would pose grave dangers to democracy."

Since security clearance was denied because of the channel promoters' alleged link with Jamaat e Islami Hind, the court termed the allegations fallacious. It also said that the non-disclosure of reasons for denial of security clearance by MHA and disclosure only to court in a sealed cover violated the principles of natural justice and the right to fair proceedings, leaving the company to fight in the dark.

Hits out at sealed cover procedure

Criticising the sealed cover procedure accepted by the high court, the bench said, to give intelligence reports absolute immunity from disclosure is antithetical to a transparent and accountable system

Key suspect in Kerala train fire arrested

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SHAHRUKH Saifi, 30, the key suspect in the Kerala train arson case, has been nabbed from Ratnagiri in Maharashtra by the Maharashtra Anti-Terrorism Squad. He was handed over to Kerala police on Wednesday.

Shahrukh Saifi

Saifi was picked up from Ratnagiri railway station around 11.30 pm on Tuesday when he was on the run after fleeing from the Civic District Hospital, where he was under treatment after a fall from a train on the Konkan line in Khed taluk.

His photo, released by the police, showed his face swollen on one side due to an injury. During preliminary questioning, it emerged that he is a resident of Shaheen Bagh in Delhi. Following this, a Kerala Police team visited the house and questioned his parents.

Speaking to reporters in Kannur, ADGP M R Ajith Kumar, who is overseeing the investigation, said it is too early to say whether more people were involved in the attack. There were unconfirmed reports that Saifi escaped from Kannur along with three others.

Lynching case: Punith Kerehalli, 4 associates nabbed in Rajasthan

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The accused, after the incident, had taken the Belagavi route to escape first to Gujarat, and from there to Rajasthan

BR Ravikanthe Gowda, IGP (Central Range)

RIGHT-WING activist Punith Kerehalli, accused of lynching Idrees Pasha (39), driver of a cattle transport vehicle, in Sathanur police station limits near Bengaluru early Saturday morning, was arrested on Wednesday along with his four associates at Banswara in Rajasthan.

The police tracked him on Tuesday when Kerehalli posted a video on social media, accusing two former chief ministers of being in collusion with "cow" killers. CONTINUED ON: P5

Right-wing activist Punith Kerehalli (centre) and his associates

EXPRESS READ

CM: Will launch scheme in Maha villages

Bengaluru: Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai has warned that if Maharashtra does not withdraw its health insurance scheme for people in border villages in Karnataka, then Karnataka will retaliate by rolling out a health insurance scheme for Kannadigas living in Maharashtra. P4

5 drown in TN temple lake during ceremony

Chennai: Five men who were taking part in a temple ritual at Moovarasampet Lake near Madipakkam in Chennai drowned in the water body on Wednesday morning. They were part of a group of 25, including priests, who had entered the lake to perform 'theerthavari' for the panguni uthiram festival of Dharmalingeshwarar Temple. P5

TS BJP chief held in SSC paper leak case

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IN a dramatic turn of events, Telangana BJP president Bandi Sanjay Kumar was arrested late on Tuesday at his residence in Karimnagar for allegedly 'hatching a conspiracy to circulate question papers of the ongoing SSC exams and defame the government'.

He was produced on Wednesday evening before First Class Magistrate R Anitha in Hanamkonda, who remanded him in judicial custody till April 19. Later, Sanjay was shifted to Karimnagar Jail from Warangal.

The BJP cadres took to the streets as news of Sanjay's arrest spread, and the ruling BRS termed the MP the 'mastermind' behind the leaks. P5

41% RISE IN CRIMES AGAINST SCs,STs IN K'TAKA IN 5 YEARS

KARTHIK K K @Mysuru

KARNATAKA has seen a sharp rise in atrocities against the Scheduled Castes (SCs) and Scheduled Tribes (STs) in the last five years despite the ST/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act and other initiatives in place to prevent offences against members of these communities.

According to data from Karnataka State Police, the state has seen 41% increase in cases of crime against SCs and STs (by non-SCs and STs) over the last five years. In 2018, the state reported 1,536 cases and 1,585 in 2019. The increasing trend continued for the next three years, with the state reporting 1,691 cases in 2020 (despite Covid 19), 1,744 in 2021 and 2167 in 2022.

The increase in the number of cases from 1,536 in 2018 to 2,167 in 2022, which is nearly 41%, can be attributed to various factors. One of them is that the conviction rate in such cases is low. CONTINUED ON: P5

While most offences are of attack, attempt to murder and rioting, there are cases of murder, rape and molestation of SC/ST women

Former member, state-level vigilance and monitoring panel

STAR POWER

BJP gets 'Kiccha' Sudeep's campaign boost

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THE ruling BJP in Karnataka got a boost with actor 'Kiccha' Sudeep on Wednesday declaring that he will campaign for the party for the Assembly elections.

The party hopes that the actor, who hails from the Valmiki (ST) community, can influence voters from the community, who are in large numbers in central and other parts of Karnataka. The actor, however, clarified that he will not join politics. "I am here to support Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai and will campaign wherever he tells me to," he said.

He made this announcement at a press conference with Bommai. "I personally feel that many good things are happening in the country. This is again my perspective and has nothing to do with the party. As a responsible citizen and taxpayer, when some good things happen, I express my opinion. I respect PM Narendra Modi's leadership and decisions. This is my opinion and has nothing to do with me sitting here," he said.

Of the total population of Karnataka, the percentage of the Valmiki (ST) community is around 7, which is close to 43 lakh people. They are mainly concentrated in central Karnataka, including Ballari and Chitradurga districts. P5

CM Basavaraj Bommai with actor Sudeep in Bengaluru on Wednesday | SHASHIDHAR BYRAPPA

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'Kiccha' Sudeep

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WEATHER | MIN 21°C | MAX 32°C
FORECAST Light rain. Increasing cloudiness.
Sunrise 6.13 am | Sunset 6.31 pm | Moonrise 6.46 pm | Moonset 6.14 am

Now, poll checkposts causing jams?

Saleem attributes it to over 100 checking points set up by election officials across the city

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Officials check a car at Sirsi Circle on Wednesday. Right: Traffic jam hasn't even spared the newly inaugurated underpass on Old Airport Road | NAGARAJA GADEKAL, KP PRASUNNA

WHILE Namma Bengaluru's traffic seemed to have eased to an extent after a slew of measures were introduced by Special Commissioner of Police (Traffic) MA Saleem a few months ago, it is back to square one in areas such as Hebbal, Hosur Road, Mysuru Road, KR Puram, Whitefield, Marathahalli and Kadubeesanahalli.

"I usually take around one hour to reach Koramangala from Marathalli. On Wednesday morning, it took me almost 1.5 hours to reach Koramangala. There was a huge traffic jam at Marathalli junction," said Madan, an autorickshaw driver.

Among the junctions, where steps have been taken to ease congestion after Saleem took charge, commuters point out that Goraguntepalya, Sarakki, Kumaraswamy Layout, and Banashankari bus terminal are managed well by traffic policemen. However, the situation has not improved at Kadubeesanahalli, Silk Board, KR Puram, and Hebbal flyover.

Traffic on the Hebbal flyover is manageable. However, motorists proceeding towards Marathalli create confusion as they have to enter the service road, take the flyover, and then take a left turn. It would be better if some signages are put up so that motorists proceeding towards Marathalli keep left to enter the service road, Padmanabha, a regular commuter, said.

Saleem said that the traffic police have been working towards easing congestion with a special focus on entry and exit points of the city. There might be a slight increase in traffic, he said attributing it to over 100 checkposts across the city set up by the election authorities. Rains too slow down traffic in the city.

"As the model code of conduct is in place, vehicles are stopped randomly and checked. This is affecting the smooth flow of traffic. As some of our traffic cops are also involved in this duty, you cannot find all of them managing traffic," Saleem said.

EXPRESS READ

Affiliations, mergers for colleges now online

Bengaluru: The Karnataka State Department of Higher Education on Wednesday stated that all affiliation processes, mergers and registrations for new courses will take place under the Unified University and College Management System (UUCMS). The department has gradually started digitising all processes related to the state's higher education system through the UUCMS. The department stated that all the processes will take place under the UUCMS in the coming academic year, and advised colleges affiliated to state universities to ensure that they apply online for affiliation approval, extension, or if they want to begin new courses. **ENS**

NCERT move distorts history, say students

Bengaluru: Students from various educational institutes across the city on Wednesday hit out at the National Council of Educational Research and Training (NCERT) for dropping chapters on the Mughal empire, democracy and Dalit writers from school textbooks. NCERT has come under fire for rationalisation of Class 6 to 12 textbooks. In particular, the focus has been brought on the council's decision to drop chapters on the Mughal empire as well as on democracy and Dalit writers. Students have called the removal unethical and an attempt at distorting history. The decision has also attracted criticism from various avenues, with educationists, academicians and writers slamming the move. **ENS**

Missing graves? Lokayukta team visits site, to file report by April 12

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Lokayukta SP Lakshmi Ganesh inspects a property on Wednesday, following a plaint that graves were destroyed to build a BBMP office in JJ Nagar | NAGARAJA GADEKAL

ACTING on a complaint that more than 2,000 graves of the Hindu community were destroyed to build a Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagar Palike (BBMP) office and a sports complex at the behest of political leaders, the Lokayukta police on Wednesday conducted a spot inspection of the property at JJ Nagar in Chamarajpete.

Lokayukta Superintendent of Police Lakshmi Ganesh and team spoke to the complainant S Bhaskaran and other petitioners, and later sought details from locals to gauge the ground reality and know the veracity of the complaint before filing a report by April 12.

Speaking to reporters after the Lokayukta inspection, Bhaskaran claimed that as per the BBMP health department documents, the property was a Hindu burial ground with thousand of graves. But a BBMP office came up here a few years ago, and now a sports complex is being built at property numbers 136-10034-115 and 136-10034-117 at a cost of Rs 1 crore. The property was a graveyard belonging to Kannada- and Tamil-speaking Hindus, he said.

"From 2011 to 2019, 5,800 deceased were buried here. But now, manual counting shows that over 3,000 samadhis are missing. We want the missing mortal remains to be traced and FIR registered against persons responsible for this," said Bhaskaran. He added that after the inspection, a report will be filed by the Lokayukta police and based on the report, the further course of action will be decided.

However, the locals differed with the claims made by petitioners. According to them, the area was a small hillock that was owned by zamindars and it was not a graveyard.

"About 4,500 families are living in Janata Colony, which is next to the Hindu burial ground. A few decades ago, the entire surrounding area was called Padarayanpura. After delimitation, it was split into three wards -- JJ Nagar ward no. 136, Padarayanapura ward no. 135 and Royapuram ward no. 137. The site, which the petitioner claims to be a graveyard, is next to Janatha Colony and is not a graveyard. I am saying this as I grew up here. If at all any person comes and destroys the graves, as a Hindu will I keep quiet?" said Chandrashekhar, a resident.

Canara Bank introduces Premium Payroll package

Bengaluru: Canara Bank on Wednesday announced the introduction of Premium Payroll package for salary account holders. It has been designed to to meet all banking requirements of salaried customers. It has features like term life insurance, insta over draft, free personal and air accident insurance coverage and premium cards. The bank also announced the launch of toll free number 18001030, which is now available for all customers across India. It is aimed to enhance its customer service experience. **ENS**

GRAND EVENT

Karaga tonight, over 5 lakh to witness festivities

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MORE than 5 lakh people are expected to witness Bengaluru's flagship Karaga festival. All preparations are in place and the Karaga procession will start from Dharmarayaswamy temple in Tigalarpet on Thursday midnight on Chitra pournami as per the Hindu calendar.

At 10.30 am on Thursday, a priest carrying the Karaga, dressed in turmeric-colored saree and wearing bangles will offer Ganga Puja to Goddess Draupadi at the Karagad Kunte of Cubbon Park. From there, the Hasikaraga will be brought to the mandapam, where special pooja will be performed. The Karaga procession will come out the temple at 12.30 am on Friday.

The floral Karaga will be carried by priest Jnanendra Vahnikula Gowda, who has been carrying it for the past 12 years. The procession will cover nearly 38 km, passing through areas of Cubbonpet, Ganigarapet, Avenue Road, Balepete, Doddapete, Kumbarapete, Gollarapete, Ulsoor, KR Market, Cottonpet and other areas.

While there were objections to the Karaga visiting Hazrat Tawakkal Mastan Saheb Dargah by some right-wing outfits, the Bengaluru Karaga Samiti clarified that this is an age-old practice and is an indication of religious harmony and the practice will continue without any change. Samiti members said the Karaga will visit the Dargah like how it visits Hindu temples on the way.

BBMP Chief Commissioner Tushar Girinath, who is also the District Election Officer, told TNIE that clear directions have been given to the organisers that there shouldn't be any political speech or any violation of the Model Code of Conduct.

Traffic advisory

The road from KR Market Circle to Avenue Road till Mysore Bank Circle will be closed to vehicular traffic from Thursday mid-night till Friday morning. Vehicles heading towards Mysore Road via Cottonpet Main Road has been asked to take the alternate route from Vatal Nagaraj Road and Binny Mill Road.

Vehicles coming from AS Char Road towards City Market Circle may take a right turn at AS Char Road on Mysore Road and proceed through Briand Circle-Royan Circle.

Vehicles plying towards Mysore Bank Circle via BVK Iyengar Road will be temporarily blocked at Chikkapet Circle until entering Police Road. People who want to witness the Karaga festival are advised to park their vehicles at Bannappa Park and Town Hall.

Plan to make Malleswaram walkable again

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TO make footpaths and conservancy lanes in Malleswaram well connected and improve walkability in the area, Malleswaram Urban Living Lab (MULL) has planned to put sign boards across the lanes to help people navigate the area better and explore historical and cultural places that would be missed otherwise.

Under 'Walkable Malleswaram', the group plans to map out all the conservancy lanes and other main areas marking them with numbers or boards mentioning places and critical landmarks of the area -- Janatha Hotel, Planter Coffee Home, Krishna Temple, KC General Hospital, Sankey Tank, MLA High School being a few of them.

The team convened a meeting with the residents of Malleswaram to gain inputs about the cultural and historical stories from the area to understand the layout better and use them while executing the project.

Recreational equipment like stone benches and hand railings will also be put up under the initiative to provide citizen spaces to sit and spend their leisure time. The conservancy lanes are expected to be developed as recreational spaces beyond only lanes to walk through other areas, the team said. The initiative was started during the pandemic (in 2021) and has even received funding from the Directorate of Urban Land Transport (DULT) to execute the project.

Suchitra Deep from MULL explained that over time walkability has become poor in the area. The roads are designed for vehicles now and not for people.

200 risky points to have rain gauges

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BBMP Commissioner Tushar Girinath chairs a monsoon preparatory meeting on Wednesday | EXPRESS

WITH roads in Mahadevapura zone flooded after the 58-mm deluge on Tuesday and traffic taking a hit, Bruhat Bengaluru Mahanagara Palike (BBMP) Commissioner Tushar Girinath chaired a monsoon preparatory meeting.

"The first round of stormwater drain (SWD) cleaning will be taken up by the end of April in all zones and this will be repeated again in May," Girinath told reporters after the meeting.

He said small incidents of water logging were reported on Tuesday and the water receded quickly. To ensure steps are taken at vulnerable points during heavy rains, the BBMP has decided to enter into an agreement with the Karnataka State Natural Disaster Monitoring Centre (KSNDMC) to install rain gauges in 200 vulnerable points (stormwater drains).

"The gauges will send an alert if the level indicates any possible flooding. Based on these signals, we can send officials to the spot for timely action," said Girinath.

The Commissioner also pointed out that he has directed all the Chief Engineers and Joint Commissioners to take up desilting of stormwater drains by April-end. "The second level of cleaning will be done again in May before the arrival of monsoon in June. The small incidents of flooding were due to all civic agencies working on a war footing before the monsoon and leaving the utilities and material on the roadside," he said and directed officials to clear obstructions at the earliest.

Girinath also said 50 per cent of engineers from the SWD Department are on election duty, but they will also carry on with SWD work during the monsoon as 450 km of drains have to be well maintained.

A 24x7 control room will be set up at the BBMP head office with officials from the Bengaluru Water Supply and Sewerage Board and Bengaluru Electricity Supply Company.

Daily Starscope

PETER VIDAL

06th April: The recent Venus-Pluto pattern is one of the most powerful in the world of myth and legend. It relates to the idea of the timeless love affair which passes through tragedy but then endures forever. And on an everyday level it encourages all people who are driven by raw passion!

ARIES (Mar 21 - Apr. 20)
You may look beyond the narrow limits of your own life, and consider getting involved in activities that you might have ignored until now. This is an auspicious moment for taking new initiatives, even if partners have already made a start. You might have some catching up to do.

TAURUS (Apr. 21 - May 21)
A word about your physical well-being would come in handy, for this looks like a useful moment to get yourself in shape. You should tackle bad habits and consider whatever changes in exercise and diet are necessary to tone up. Oh, and keep a loved one informed about your latest plans.

GEMINI (May 22 - June 21)
You have made all the right moves recently, and by all accounts you are continuing to do so. You may therefore allow yourself a brief pat on the back! At work realise that your own interests can only be achieved if you depart from the straight and narrow.

CANCER (June 22 - July 23)
Please don't jump to hasty conclusions - and do make sure that you have all the relevant facts at your fingertips. If you base your actions on conjecture or rumour you will go badly off course. Rest assured that colleagues are willing to be persuaded.

LEO (July 24 - Aug. 23)
The accent is now on travel, and you are probably aware of the need to broaden your horizons. A handsome selection of planets suggests that whether you're old, young or in-between, now is the time to take your education into new fields. It's never too late to learn!

VIRGO (Aug. 24 - Sept. 23)
Much depends on your success in attracting extra funds, for that is the only way you'll be able to afford your domestic and family plans. It's quite a hopeful moment, but don't mistake slow progress for no progress. Voluntary work adds to your quality of life, so get out there and do your bit for others.

LIBRA (Sept. 24 - Oct. 23)
You're treading an emotional tight-rope, unsure of which way to jump. Problems will only arise if you are so sensitive that you lose your self-confidence. It would be a shame if you also lost touch with your objectives, yet be assured that you'll be back on course before long.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24 - Nov. 22)
You may be looking for an escape route, but in reality you probably don't need one. It may be sufficient just to duck out of an engagement or two, and give yourself enough time to decide whether you want in or out. No doubt impatient people will put pressure on you, but you'll do your best to resist.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23 - Dec. 22)
This is one of those moments when emotional intimacy can flower, apparently out of nowhere. It is therefore a perfect period for making new friendships and deepening old ones, and of course for relishing rare romantic encounters. Plus, an old friend might walk back into your life.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 23 - Jan. 20)
For some time now you have suspected that if other people aren't actually undermining you, they're not giving you the support you deserve. This may be because you over-estimated what could actually be achieved. It might also be up to you to set a better example!

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 - Feb. 19)
Your two main tasks should be to sort out your finances first, and then sit down and talk to people about your plans, securing their agreement if you can. All should be done within an overall ethical framework, the value of which will be to provide you with personal guidelines.

PISCES (Feb. 20 - Mar 20)
Perhaps you do not understand just how confused other people feel. But you, more than anyone, should both realise how difficult it is to cope under pressure, and how partners require a few words of support. You need to take a leap of the imagination - and soon!

Solutions to Yesterday's puzzle ⬇

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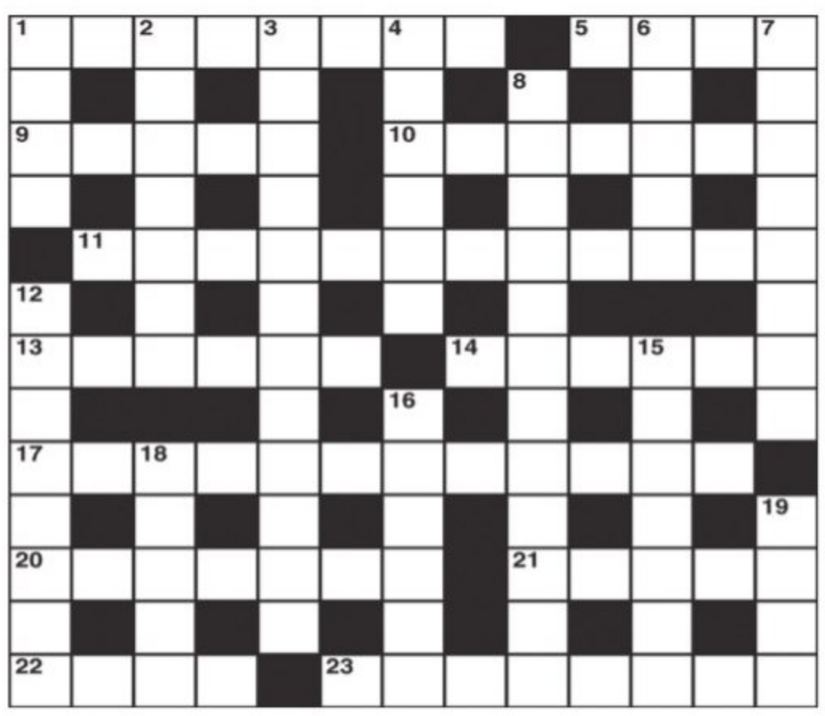

CROSS WORD

ACROSS
1 Writer about drink (8)
5 She's crazy about the youth centre (4)
9 Father looks embarrassed when cut (5)
10 Silver in one place of gold - just fancy (7)
11 Aim to sign evangelists (12)
13 Look into new liquid preparation (6)
14 Church worker with grave responsibilities (6)
17 It travels fast say the attendants (7,5)
20 One source of a writer's material (7)
21 To arrange unit on left (5)
22 She may have all sorts of jobs to do this Friday (4)
23 Incline to wither in general (8)

DOWN
1 Soundly told off but delighted (4)
2 Press it rudely? (7)
3 Communist is hidden but is found again (12)
4 As a journalist he has to ride all over the place (6)
6 I break bail in order to prove I was elsewhere (5)
7 Sauce required for a formal dinner? (8)
8 A drilling site (6,6)
12 Editing strange tale on the fight game (8)
15 A plant from the list (7)
16 Good man in a new role looking after horses (6)
18 Card game appears to be all right throughout (5)
19 Ground for conspiracy (4)

YESTERDAY'S SOLUTIONS

Across: 1 Spare time, 8 Flora, 9 Daytrip, 10 Deform, 11 Shriek, 12 Integral, 15 Stranger, 18 Morose, 20 Retort, 21 Ineptly, 22 Binge, 23 Seasoning.

Down: 2 Peach, 3 Retail, 4 Thinking, 5 Effete, 6 Colours, 7 Marmalade, 11 Subscribe, 13 Terminus, 14 Orating, 16 Nurses, 17 Trepan, 19 Salon.

JUMBLE UNSCRAMBLE THESE JUMBLES, ONE LETTER TO EACH SQUARE, TO FORM FOUR ORDINARY WORDS.

BY DAVID L. HOYT AND JEFF KNUREK

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All this from a million miles away!
And the Webb is just getting started.
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Now arrange the circled letters to form the surprise answer, as suggested by the above cartoon.

(Answers tomorrow)

Yesterday's Jumbles: GRIND CROOK PEWTER ENOUGH
Answer: When he started eating better and exercising to lose pounds, she said — "WEIGH" TO GO

THE NEW INDIAN EXPRESS

BENGALURU

President of State Banjara Students Association D R Girish said the association will start a campaign 'BJP Hatao, Tanda Bachao', condemning the state BJP government's decision to recommend internal reservation for SCs to the Central Government

Renounce Pak citizenship first, HC tells minor siblings

Directs mother to produce documents for Indian status; Pak laws prohibit minors from renouncing citizenship

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

THE Karnataka High Court made it clear that Indian laws cannot be made flexible to grant citizenship, if Pakistan laws are inflexible to allow minor children to renounce their citizenship before they attain 21 years to get Indian citizenship. The court asked a mother to produce all necessary documents before the authorities concerned, in terms of the Citizenship Act, for grant of Indian citizenship to her minor children.

"Unless such renunciation comes about, no directions could be issued to the Ministry of External Affairs to consider the case of the mother for grant of citizenship to the children. Therefore, it is for the mother to place all those materials sought by the authorities, to consider the grant of such citizenship in favour of the minor children. No mandamus would lie in the peculiar facts of this case," said Justice M Nagaprasanna.

The order was passed while rejecting the petitions filed by a girl (17) and a boy (14), represented by their mother Ameena from Basavanagudi in the city. They were seeking consideration of their pleas filed through their mother to the ministry in May 2022, to issue passports and Indian citizenship.

The children's father, Assad Malik, is a Pakistani citizen, while the mother is an Indian citizen. They were residing in Dubai after their marriage in April 2002. After divorce was granted by a Dubai court in 2014, custody of the minor children was handed to the mother. The children were declared to be Pakistani citizens, by virtue of their father's Pakistani nationality, Pakistani citizenship and passports.

The court said the children are not "stateless" as they are declared to be citizens of Pakistan. They have only surrendered their passports but not their citizenship of Pakistan. The Citizenship Act of 1955 does not grant citizenship to those persons who are already citizens of another country and who also hold passports of any other country, be they major or minor. The mother may be an Indian citizen, but the children cannot be granted citizenship as they are already citizens of Pakistan, the court added.

In reply to the mother's representation, the Consulate General of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, in April 2021 observed that under Section 14-A of the Pakistan Citizenship Act, 1951, only an individual above the age of 21 can apply for his/her renunciation of citizenship by virtue of which his/her minor children below the age of 21, residing outside Pakistan, will cease to be citizens of Pakistan. Minor children cannot renounce their Pakistani citizenship. The Pakistan authorities should also indicate that they have no objection for grant of Indian nationality to the children.

'FAKE' OFFICERS

Aspiring TTEs paid ₹6 lakh each to agency

ENS @Bengaluru

IN a shocking incident on Wednesday afternoon, the ticket checking squad of Bengaluru Railway Division on board the Chamrajnagar-Bengaluru Passenger bumped into four individuals also working as Ticket Collectors on the train but found them to be fakes. Though arrested for impersonation, it turns out that they were victims of a recruitment scam possibly taking place across the South Western Railway Zone.

The incident took place around 12.30 pm when the train neared Kengeri. A top Government Railway Police cop told *TNIE*, "We have taken them into custody and booked cases against them for impersonating as Travelling Ticket Examiners. Our preliminary interrogation reveals that each of them have paid Rs 6 lakh for their post in the Railways created by a fake recruitment agency."

The four have been booked under Sections 419, 468 and 471 of the IPC. He said,"The agency which hired them gave them the designation of Probationary Ticket Collectors and asked them to merely play the role of observers on the train. They began duty just a week ago (March 28). The appointment orders were fake." Detailed investigations will reveal the extent of the recruitment scam, he added. The actual ticket squad headed by Arun D' Souza noticed their suspicious behaviour and asked them to produce their Identity cards. The ID cards which designated them as Probationary Ticket Collectors were of Mahantesh Shinde (27), Shrivari D Telka (20), Humed Athar Nadaf (27), and Mohamed Saleem Mulla M (31).

An official release said Railways would never send probationary ticket collectors for checks on trains. "The identity cards listed father under the dependent category which confirmed it as a bogus card," he said. A source informed, "Railway employees are only allowed to list their spouse and children as dependents and not their parents. The mother's name can be given if the father has passed away and has no other source of income."

They were immediately handed over to the Railway Protection Force for investigation. The fake TTEs claimed to be natives of Belagavi. Divisional Railway Manager, Shyam Singh, appreciated the alertness of the Ticket Checking squad.

Cops identify charred body found in car

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KODIGEHALLI police investigating the case of a charred body found in a gutted car, identified the deceased as Vinod, a resident of Doddabommasandra.

Vinod, who had separated from his wife, was staying with his mother, Kantha. Addicted to alcohol, he did not go home regularly, and often slept at deserted places.

Around 1am on March 29, when he was sleeping in a car parked at a scrapyard in Bhadrappa Layout, the lit mosquito coil is suspected to have resulted in a blaze.

The mother and sister of the deceased identified the body based on the shorts he wore. They confirmed to police that Vinod was missing since March 29. Police have ruled out the possibility of murder.

Autism awareness is still low, opine experts

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AUTISM, compared to other disabilities, remain under the radar, and needs efforts for early identification and screening, said former commissioner for disability in Karnataka, VS Basavaraj.

For Autism Awareness Month this year, 15 NGOs collaborated for a cultural event on Wednesday at Bal Bhavan in Cubbon Park to raise awareness about Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD). It is a neurodevelopmental disorder that affects communication, social interaction and behaviour, characterised by repetitive actions and issues with socialising.

Ruby Singh, vice-president, Autism Society of India, said one in 60 people in Karnataka is said to suffer from autism, and the number is growing on a daily basis. Since it has no permanent cure, the focus is to detect children with autism at an early stage when there is better scope to train them, than identifying them when they are older.

Usually, a child with autism starts showing symptoms within 15-18 months after birth -- behaviour issues, irritability, no eye contact while talking, late responses are seen at an early stage.

Awareness is needed to ensure that parents can also spot the symptoms which help them diagnose their children as autistic, provide them necessary therapy and training, Basavaraj said.

Government intervention is needed to screen children for autism, and train paediatric doctors to critically observe them. Lack of skills among people working in a government setup is a major reason why the rate of identification is low, he added.

JOY TRAIN...

Children enjoy a ride aboard the famous Putani Express at Bal Bhavan in Cubbon Park on Wednesday | VINOD KUMAR T

Army officer's brother succumbs to attack injuries

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE
@Bengaluru

LLOYD Nehemiah (54), brother of an army officer, who was attacked by three software engineers for raising objection to loud music, succumbed to injuries on Tuesday.

The victim is the younger brother of Colonel David Nehemiah, who is presently serving in Kashmir. The accused are suspected to have been under the influence of alcohol while attacking Llyod and his sister on Sunday. Llyod sustained multiple injuries in the attack and was rushed to hospital on Tuesday after he developed complications.

The accused resided opposite to the victim's residence in Vignana Nagar. Since unbearably loud music was being played at around 4.30 am, the victim stepped out to ask the techies to lower the volume as his mother was bedridden. Llyod's mother has also been shifted to the ICU after she had trouble breathing.

The neighbours informed the matter to the police control room. The accused are identified as Ram Samanth Rai, Basudev Samanth Rai and Abhishek Singh. "Out of the three accused, two have been arrested. While the other accused has gone to his native after the incident and will be arrested. All three will be charged for murder," S Girish, DCP, Whitefiled, told *TNIE*.

LOST

I, Reeta Kapoor lost Registered Sale Deed dated 06.10.2001 Registered as Document No. 2463/2001-02 Pages 40-49 Volume 2088 of Book-I Dated 20.12.2001 in the office of the Sub-Registrar, Nelamangala, Bengaluru. I have lodged Police Complaint through their Portal vide Lost Report No. 0522999/2023 dated 04.04.2023 finder please contact me on 9845353030, email Id: riteshkapoor270@gmail.com

PUBLIC NOTICE

It is notified that my client **Mr. S. JOSEPH NAPOLEAN** has lost the original sale deed bearing # 7553/1979-80, dated 19/03/1980, registered at Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore in respect of the property bearing house list #422/77, serial # 536 comprised in No. 58/1, having PID # 147-W0133-12 of Koramangala Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk on 01/04/2023 at about 1:43 P.M when shifting the House. Finders may contact the undersigned.

A. Idinabba, Advocate
Mayo Hall, City Civil Court Complex
Bangalore 560001.
Mobile: 9845011966

IN THE COURT OF THE 32nd ADDL. CHIEF METROPOLITAN MAGISTRATE AT BANGALORE
C. Misc. No.2353/2021

Between: Sri. Siddashrama, Represented by its Vice President G. Srinivas S/o T. Govindappa, aged about 78yrs, R/at No.2565, New No.2, 17th Cross, Ranganathapuram Main Road, Near Siddashrama, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru-560 003. ... **Petitioner**

And: 1. The Commissioner, BBMP, N.R.Square, Bangalore-560002. **2. Health Officer (West),** BBMP, Sampige Road, Malleshwaram, Bangalore-560003. ... **Respondents**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Whereas the petitioner has filed the above suit against the Commissioner, BBMP, Bangaluru and Health Officer, BBMP, Malleshwaram to enter the date of death of the petitioner's guru namely Sri. Ramachaitanya Swamiji has expired on 26-10-1983 at Siddashrama, 17th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru as stated above, in the birth and death register records and issue a Death Certificate of Sri. Ramachaitanya Swamiji S/o Sri. Venkataramaiah and mother Smt. Mannaramma to the petitioner. Whereas if there are any objections from any person/s to claim right over the same, they may appear before this Hon'ble Court on **24-04-2023** at 11 a.m. failing which the court will hear the matter in your absence and proceed with the matter in accordance with law.

Given under my hand seal of the court on this 29-03-2023.

By order of the Court, Sheristadar, XXXII Chief Metropolitan Magistrate, Bengaluru.

Advocate for Plaintiff: **V. MANJUNATHA**
No.289, 18th cross, Sampige Road, Malleshwaram, Bangalore- 03.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-II AT BANGALORE
Telephone House, 4th Floor,
Rajbhavan Road,
Bengaluru-560 001.

OA No. 1812/2020

Bank of India, Hanumanthnagar Branch, Bengaluru ... **APPLICANT** -V/s-
Mr. Gopinath .E ... DEFENDANT

To, The DEFENDANT: Mr. Gopinath .E, S/o Kambarama, aged about 43 years, Residing at No. 322, BSK 1st Stage, 3rd Main, 7th Cross, Srinivasanagar, Bengaluru-560 050.

Working as: Master Technician Hindustan Aeronautics Ltd. Old Airport Road, Vimanapura Post, Bengaluru-560017

UNDER SECTION 23 (VIII) OF RDDB AND FI ACT 1993 SUMMONS

Whereas the applicant bank has instituted an application under section 19 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Bank and Financial Institution Act 1993 against defendants for the recovery of Sum of Rs. 62,05,280/- together with current and future interest, cost and other reliefs.

You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication or on **09/05/2023** at 10:30 A.M. in person or through an Advocate or duly Authorized agent duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not granted.

Take notice that in case of default, the application will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 22/12/2023.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-II Bangalore

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform that, my Client **MR. C. M. KRISHNA MURTHY** S/O. LATE MAYAPPA, Aged about 60 years residing at No. 242, Krishna Priya Nilaya, 1st Cross, Patalamma Layout, Kadugodi, Bengaluru, had lost his original Sale Deed vide document identification Reg. No. BDH-1-02894/2007-08 dated 11.01.2008 The said documents were lost on 15.05.2015, registered complaint in C.MISC. NO. 126/2015 before Bethamangala Police station, Kolar district. If anybody secure the same kindly intimate to the above said address or contact Number.9980050266.

Sd/-
VENKATACHALAPATHY. V.S, ADVOCATE
328/1, Vinyaka Nagar, Opp. Vinayaka Temple, Devasandra, K.R.Puram, Bengaluru-560 036.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client is intending to purchase the property bearing Old No. 461, Assessment No. 461, present CMC Property ID No. 3110280227, carved out of converted Sy. Nos. 22/2 and 22/3 of Kempalinganahalli Village, Kasba Hobli, Nelamangala Taluk, totally measuring 1874.68 Square Meters and bounded on the **East by :** Remaining portion of Sy. No. 22/2, **West by:** Remaining portion of Sy. No. 22/3, **North by:** Railway line, **South by :** Road from Mrs. D. Anuradha, the Proprietrix of M/s. Sneha Agro Industries. Mrs. D. Anuradha represented that she is the absolute owner of the said property and apart from her, no other person/s, having any right, title or interest. She further represented that the said property is not mortgaged or charged to anybody else by her to any third person/s or Banks. Any person/s, having any claim, interest or right over the above said property may contact or write to the undersigned with documentary proof to substantiate such claim/s or interest within **Seven (7) days** from the date of this publication. In the absence of any such claim or objection within the stipulated time, it will be construed that there is no one having any claims or objection on the said property and my client will proceed with the sale transaction.

H. NAGESH ADVOCATE,
No. 46, Z Plaza, 2nd Main, Sheshadripuram, Bangalore – 20. Mob: 990201565, 9448625402

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client intends to purchase property described in the schedule. From its owners **MR.MOHAMMED IRFAN** S/o.SRI. NIZAM DULHE KHAN, Aged About 51 years, R/at.34.4th Cross Maruthi Nagar Madiwala Bangalore-68.

Any person/s or any organization or Financial Institute. Asserting any rights, claim or charge in the schedule property, having any claims against the property/or its owner/s to such sale in favour of my client should write to the undersigned within **7 DAYS FROM** this public Notice. With all documentary proof/s on which they are basing and assert their rights over the property there of after which period my clients shall proceed on the basis that there are no climes of whatsoever nature with regards to property.

SCHEDULE

ALL THAT PORTION OF THE **NORTHERN PORTION OF BEARING SITE NO.26.** KATHA NO.1456/3448/26/82/82/2.Old KATHA NO.82/2. SITE FARMED IN SY **NO.82/2.** OLD BOMMANAHALLI CMC 82/2-26. SITUATED AT **ARAKERE VILLAGE,** BEGUR HOBLI BANGALORE SOUTH TALUK, AT PRESENT COMES UNDER BBMP WARD NO.193. **EAST TO WEST 65 FEET NORTH TO SOUTH 40 FEET. TOTALLY MEASURING 2600.SQ FEET.** BOUNDED ON **EAST BY** :- ROAD, **WEST BY** :- PRIVATE PROPERTY, **NORTH BY** : SITE NO.35, **SOUTH BY :** REMAINING PORTION OF SOUTHERN PORTION HALF of the OLD SITE NO.26. BELONGS TO SMT.ISHRATH RIYAZ

S.RASHEED SAB, Advocate
No. 31, 6th Cross, 1st main Road, Balajinagar, Bangalore-29.
Mobile: 9448560509, 9740893190
Dated: 03.04.2022

MANAPPURAM HOME FINANCE LTD.

NOTICE

With effect from 04-07-2023 all business activities of our Vinayakanagar Ramnagar Branch (Manappuram Home Finance Ltd, Vinayaka Nagar Ramnagar, Katha No. 336/1520/1705, Ist Floor, Surya Complex, Near Ramdevana Betta Arch, Vinayaka Nagar, Ramnagar Dt., Pin -562 159. PH: 8722293939/ 9980854471/9738412089) will be Shifted to (Vinayakanagar Ramnagar Branch) Old Khata No: 1424, New Khata Nos.553 / 2155 / 1424 / 1050 / a / 163 /A/1A/A-1,2nd Floor, Sri Ram Complex, Opposite Zilla Panchayath,B.M.Road,Near SBI Bank,Vinayakanagar Ramanagaram Town And District, Karnataka Pin:562159 PH: 8722293939/ 9980854471).

Customers may kindly note the change and are requested to approach us at the above-mentioned address only for all further transactions and requirements after the said date

Call : 8722293939/ 9980854471

MANAPPURAM HOME FINANCE LTD
CIN-U65923KL2010PLC039179
IV/470A(OLD)W638A(NEW), Manappuram House, Valapad, Thrissur, Kerala-680567

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform and alert the general public not to deal with Sri. V. Krishnamurthy, S/o. Venkatagiriyappa, Residing at No. 44/2-A, Rayakottai Road, Hosur Town and Taluk, Krishnagiri District, Tamil Nadu alleged to be my GPA Holder under Registered General Power of Attorney dated 17-05-2022, Registration No.VRT-4-00270/2021-22, CD No.VRTD-1116, dated 20-01-2022 in respect of the Lands bearing (1) Sy. No. 6/1C Dry Ext.Hec. 0.46.0 or Acre, 1.14 Cents, Asst. Rs. 1.27 full extent, in this I/6th share Acre. 0.19 Cents; (2) Sy. No. 16/4 Dry Ext.Hec. 0.33.0 or Acre, 0.81 Cents, Asst. Rs. 0.91 full extent, in this 1/6th share Acre. 0.13 1/2 Cents; (3) Sy. No. 17/2B Dry Ext.Hec. 0.28.0 or Acre, 0.69 Cents, Asst. Rs. 1.27 full extent, in this I/6th share Acre. 0.IVA Cents; as the said General Power of Attorney has been cancelled / revoked by issuance of Legal Notice dated **30.03.2023** through my counsels.

Inspite of this notice, if anybody deals or do any transactions with the aforesaid person in respect of the aforesaid property, the same is illegal and void, and you will be doing so at your own risk and costs.

Sd/- **V. MARI,** S/o. Late Vennappa,
Mothukulapalli Village, Shoolagiri Post,
Hosur Taluk, Krishnagiri District.

PUBLIC NOTICE

FOR PURCHASE OF PROPERTY

NOTICE is hereby given that **Mr. P. Krishnappa, Mrs. Rathnamma & Mr. N. Harish** are willing to sell the schedule property in favour of my Clients **Mr. Abhay Kumar** with respect to **Plot No: 84, Mrs. Jyoti Kumari, Mr. Rahul Kumar** with respect to **Plot No: 66, Mr. Rohit Kumar & Mrs. Shweta Kumari** with respect to **Plot No: 65** free from all encumbrances. Any person having any right, title, interest, claim or demand of any nature whatsoever in respect of the said property, is hereby required to make the same known in writing along with the documentary proof thereof, to the below mentioned his Counsel Mr. RADESH .K, Office at Third Floor, Above Favara Car World, SMN Complex, Whitefield Main Road, Thubarahalli Bangalore. within 07 days from the date of publication hereof, failing which the negotiations shall be completed, without any reference to such claims and the claims if any, shall be deemed to have been given up or waived.

SCHEDULE:

All that piece and parcel of the Residential Property bearing **Plot No: 84** measuring **1723 Square Feet, Plot No: 66** measuring **1500 Square Feet** and **Plot No: 65** measuring **1500 Square Feet** in the Layout known as **"ADITHYA HOMES GRAND"**, formed in (Old Sy No: 47/5) New Sy No: 47/11 measuring 28 ½ Guntas, New Sy No: 47/9 measuring 23 ½ Guntas and New Sy No: 47/10 measuring 25 Guntas, Situated at Janthagondanahalli Village, Sarjapura Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District.

Contact : **Mr. RADESH BE,** LL.B, LL.M
Director- MKM Legal Solutions Pvt Ltd.
e-mail id: radesh@mkmlegalsolutions
Contact No: +91 9902400440

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **HAJIRA NUSRET** W/o Fazal M.A. resident of #49,31st Main, 3rd Cross, BTM 2nd Stage, Bengaluru - 560076 and presently residing at 214 Park Plaza Apartment, 220 Newfoundland Drive, St. Johns NL A1A0R4, have changed my daughter's name from **FARHA** to **FARHA FAZAL** vide affidavit sworn before Notary M.N. Sumana, Mysore, Dated 05-04-2023

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given to General Public that my client Sri. Devaraju, presently residing at Bangalore has lost the original General Power of Attorney, dated 21/08/1995, executed by Smt. Prabhavathi, in favour of Smt. Meena registered as document no. 412/1995-1996, Book IV, Volume no. SF40, on 22/08/1995in the office of Sub-Registrar, Yelahanka with respect to selling the Site no. 44, measuring 1200 Sq., ft., which is morefully described as schedule property mentioned below and the same is not traceable. If found inform to Smt. B. Mallika, Advocate, whose address is mentioned as below, within eight days from the date of publication.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the immovable property bearing Site no. 44, Khatha no. 12/2/44, situated at 1st Main, behind Amba Bhavani Temple, Sambran College Main Road, Doddabettahalli Village, Yelahanka hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, now comes under BBMP Limits, measuring 1200 Sq., ft, Site measuring East to West : 30-00 feet and North to South : 40-00 feet, totally measuring 1200 Sq., ft., and bounded on the:

Boundaries :
East by : Road;
West by : Property bearing no. 53;
North by : Property bearing no. 45;
South by : Property bearing no. 43.

MALLIKA.B Advocate
No. 203, 2nd Floor,
Saraswathipuram Main Road,
Nandinilayout,
Bangalore- 560 096.
Ph: 9742658187

PUBLIC NOTICE

My client is intending to purchase the immovable property bearing Site No. 237, presently bearing **BBMP Khata No. 215/215/237**, in the layout known as Defence Layout, formed by Defence /Government Officials Site Owners Association Regd, in Sy No. 6, situated at Chikkabettahalli Village, Yelahanka Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Ward No. 11, Kuvempu Nagar, measuring East to West 50 feet and North to South 80.5 feet (totally measuring 4025sft) and bounded on the East: Site No. 236, on the West: Site No.238, on the North: Road and on the South: Site Nos.245/246 from its owner.

Any person having any objections or claiming any right, title or interest in the said property are required to lodge the same with the undersigned along with documentary evidence within 7 days from this date, failing which my client shall proceed with the transaction of the said property free from all encumbrances.

Sd/-
SUDHA.T.C., B.A.L., LL.B. - ADVOCATE,
Flat No.b-218, I Floor,
Wilson Vintage Apt,
No.24, 12th Cross,Opp Adugodi P.o,
Wilson Garden,Bangalore-560 027.
PHONE: 2220707 / 9880080528

Date : 04.04.2023
Place : Bangalore

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala-147001
Corporate Identity No. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
Contact NO. 96461-18773.

TENDER ENQUIRY No.: QQ-1321/PO-C&S dt 31.03.23

Chief Purchase Officer/MM, Central Purchase Organization, PSPCL, 2nd floor, Multistorey Building, The Mall, Patiala, invites E-Tender for Procurement of Multi core 4Cx10 sqmm-680 KM & 4Cx150 sqmm- 50 KM LT XLPE insulated, PVC sheathed, Aluminum Conductor, unarmoured cables, ISI marked as per tender specification no. QQ-1321/PO/C&S dated 31.03.2023. For detailed NIT & tender specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **04.04.2023 (9:00AM) onwards.**

Note: Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in.**

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PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby notified that my clients propose to purchase the property mentioned in the schedule herein from its owners **Mr.M.L.SHAM SUNDAR, Mrs.M.S.RAJESWARI, Mr.NARASIMHA GUPTA.M.L, Mr.M.L.MANJUNATH, Mrs. SHAKILA MANJUNATH, Mr.M.L.SATHYANARAYANA and Mrs.M.S.CHANDRAKALA,** residing at: No.2473, 17 Main, 25 Cross, BSK 2 Stage, BANGALORE-560 070, who have represented that they acquired the Schedule Property by virtue of a Final Decree passed in O.S.No.5666/2007 dated 12/03/2022 passed by the Hon'ble City Civil Judge, Bangalore (CCH-45). Persons objecting for the proposed sale or having any right in the said property may lodge his/their objections and/or claims with the undersigned along with supporting documentary evidence within **15 days** from the date of this publication and objections and/or claims received thereafter will not be binding on my Clients and my Clients will proceed to purchase the Schedule Property as if there are no claims/objections.

SCHEDULE:

All that piece and parcel of the House Property in Ground and First Floor measuring 5000 Sq Ft of built up area and being built on property bearing Site No.2473 measuring East to West: 60 Feet and North to South 90 Feet, totally measuring 5400 Sq. Feet, situated at 25" "B" Cross, 2 Stage, Banashankari, Bangalore and bearing Municipal Nos.2473, 2473/1 and 2473/2, Municipal Ward No. 165 of Ganesh Mandira, 2 Stage, Banashankar, Bangalore and bearing PID Nos 56-20-2473, 56-20-2473/1, 56-20-2473/2 in the records of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike and bounded on the:

East by : Site No. 2474; **West by :** Site No.2472;
North by : Site No.2466 and **South by :** 25th "B" Cross Road.

Mr. K. P. RUPESH KUMAR, Advocate & Consultant, M/s. LAW CORP,
No.63,Ground Floor, Mohan Towers No. 98/2-27, Residency Road, Bangalore-560 025 (M) 9886761765.
BANGALORE, Date :05/04/2023.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that my client, M/S, E R Build Tech represented by its Managing Partner Mohammed Eisa, LLP, Mob. No 9538773787,Office at No. 353,1st Floor, Swagath Road. Tilak Nagar, Jayanagar Bengaluru-560041 has intended to enter into Joint development agreement and General Power Of Attorney in respect of the below mentioned Schedule property from its Joint Owners, Smt. Manju devi W/o. Sri. Mool Chand, R/a no 4/2, Makkallappa Lane, Patiyat Building, Nagarthpet cross, opp kali Maa Temple, Bangalore-52 2) Sri. Saravan Kumar S/o Misrimalji, R/a. Sri. Kalleshwara Nilaya, R T Street Cross, Bangalore-53 3) Sri. Mohammed Arafath S/o. late. Abdul Azeez, R/a. no. 127/3, Boss Villa near Tejaswini School, Jayanagar 3rd Block East, Bangalore-560011

Any person/s having any claim in respect of the Schedule property by way of sale, sale agreement, Exchange, mortgage, charge, lien, gift, trust, maintenance, inheritance, lease, licence, Easement or otherwise of whatsoever nature, however are hereby requested to inform the same in writing, to the undersigned together, with the documentary Proof in support your claims with in a period of 15 days from date of publication of this notice, failing which such claim/s or objections, if any shall be considered as waived and/or discharged forever.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY:

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1. The Chief Engineer , National Highways, Odisha on behalf of Governor of Odisha invites percentage rate bids in double cover system in ONLINE MODE form eligible contractors for construction Roadwork as mentioned below:

2.	Nature of work	:	Road illumination by providing street lights
3.	No. of work	:	1 No.
4.	Tender Paper cost	:	Rs.10,000.00
5.	Class of Contractor	:	Valid MV or HT License issued from ELBO Govt. of Odisha.
6.	Available of bid document website	:	From 12.30 P.M. of 10.04.2023 to 5.30 PM of 24.04.2023
7.	Date of opening of Bid (cover -I)	:	Dt.25.04.2023 at 11.30 AM

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Sd/- Chief Engineer,
National Highways , Odisha OIPR-34166/11/0001/2324

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भारत सरकार GOVERNNMENT OF INDIA
वित्त मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF FINANCE
आयकर विभाग INCOME TAX DEPARTMENT
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A Field Surveillance Team and police officials on Wednesday recovered Rs 2 crore in unaccounted cash from a passenger travelling in a private bus near Hirebagewadi, 20km from Belagavi. The officials raided the bus, headed to Mangaluru from Mumbai, at the Hirebagewadi toll gate, and found a passenger carrying the money in a bag

WAR OF WORDS

CM'S MAHA WARNING TO SHINDE: WITHDRAW HEALTH SCHEME

Basavaraj Bommai says Karnataka too will roll out a similar insurance policy for Kannadigas in Maharashtra if it fails to act

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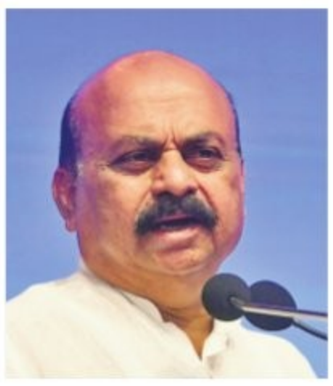

THE Karnataka Government and the Opposition parties in the state slammed the Maharashtra government for implementing its health insurance scheme for people in border villages in Karnataka. Chief Minister **Basavaraj Bommai** warned that if the neighboring state continues with such an attitude, Karnataka will have to retaliate by rolling out a health insurance scheme for Kannadigas living in Maharashtra.

The Chief Minister said the Maharashtra government is trying to create confusion when the border row is before the Supreme Court. Terming Maharasthra's decision to implement the scheme for people in Karnataka as the height of arrogance, Bommai said it is an attempt to disturb cordial relations between the two states.

Bommai said that during a meeting convened by Union Minister Amit Shah, Maharashtra Chief Minister Eknath Shinde, and his Deputy Devendra Fadnavis had promised that they would not create any confusion on the border issue Now, the coverage of the Jyothirao Pule health insurance scheme for the people residing in 865 villages on the Karnataka side was a threat to the federal system and the Maharashtra Government must immediately revoke its orders and respect the commitment given during the meeting convened by the Home Minister to help in maintaining a good relationship between the two states, the CM added.

Opposition Leader in the Assembly Siddaramaiah said despite opposition, the Maharashtra government went ahead and implemented the scheme. It must be withdrawn immediately, he said.

'Cong scared that black money will come out'

Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai said the Election Commission of India and the Income Tax Department are functioning independently and action will be taken against those who have done a mistake. He asked Congress leaders why they are afraid. They are adopting this tactic as they are scared that the black money amassed all these years will come out, the CM said responding to a question on Congress leaders expressing apprehensions about IT raids ahead of the polls.

The Congress is trying to put pressure on officials who are conducting raids impartially and stop it, he said.

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Maha's move against federal structure: HDK

BENGALURU: Senior Janata Dal (Secular) leader and former chief minister **HD Kumaraswamy** has slammed the Maharashtra government's move of providing insurance to villagers of bordering districts and has warned that the Union Government's silence on the issue may lead to the collapse of the federal system in the country. Kumaraswamy, in a series of tweets on Wednesday, attacked the Maharashtra government for implementing an insurance scheme for people living in 865 villages in the border areas of Karnataka and said the neighbouring state was interfering in the internal matter of Karantaka in several issues. "The Bharatiya Janata Party double engine government in Maharashtra is frequently troubling Karnataka. It has a China mindset and treats Karnataka like an enemy country. The Central BJP-led government has been a mute spectator to these developments. This may lead to the collapse of the federal system," Kumaraswamy added. Alleging that the Maharashtra government was crossing the limits of a federal system, the former chief minister suspected whether the Union Government was making Karnataka the scapegoat for 'Shinde-model politics'. "If not, why the Modi government is silent towards the arrogance of the Maharashtra government?" he questioned. **ENS**

Will quota issue tilt scales in Shikaripura?

MARX TEJASWI
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THOUGH Bharatiya Janata Party and Congress are yet to announce their candidates for Shikaripura, election fever has already gripped the constituency — a bastion of the saffron party since 1983.

State BJP vice-president and son of former chief minister BS Yediyurappa, BY Vijayendra, who is likely to be the candidate from here, has increased his pace of campaigning, while Congress workers are waiting for the party to announce the candidate.

Shikaripura is grabbing the eyeballs this time as former chief minister and Lingayat strongman BS Yediyurappa — who recently decided to retire from electoral politics — has announced his son Vijayendra as his successor to the constituency.

It is curious to know whether the voters will pick Vijayendra and reiterate that Shikaripura is the bastion of BJP, or elect a Congress MLA after a gap of two decades. Though Yediyurappa has been representing the segment since 1983, he had to suffer a defeat in 1999 when BN Mahalingappa of Congress won by 7,561 votes.

In 2008, 2013 and 2018, Yediyurappa was successful in winning over 50% of the votes, the highest being 66.23% in 2008 when it was the 'Clash of the Titans' between Yediyurappa and S Bangarappa, who contested on a Samajwadi Party ticket.

The constituency has large numbers of Lingayats, SCs, STs and Muslims. Among SCs, the Banjara community, which forms the biggest chunk, has been supporting BJP for a long time. But it is not sure whether they will show similar support to the saffron party this time, given that protesters from the community threw stones at Yediyurappa's house after the Basavaraj Bommai government implemented internal reservation for SCs, with a cap of 4.5% for touchable communities like Banjara, Bhovi, Koracha and Korama.

When *The New Indian Express* visited Shikaripura on Wednesday, many voters expressed their wish to vote for BJP. Some Banjaras, expressing their anguish over the reservation issue, too said they want more clarity on the quota, which is what the BJP cadre is focussing now. Kudachi MLA P Rajeev has also visited the constituency and held talks with Banjara leaders.

Some voters said they will decide a little later and after BJP and Congress announce their candidates.

Congress, seeing a glimmer of hope, too is working hard in the constituency with party ticket aspirants — Nagaraj Gowda, Pushpa Shivakumar and Goni Malatesh — putting in the effort. The Congress polled 32.26% of votes in 2013 and 33.31% in 2018.

PULSE-O-METER

SHIKARIPURA

2018 ASSEMBLY ELECTION RESULT

BS Yediyurappa (BJP)
86,983 votes

Goni Malatesh (Cong)
51,586 votes

HT Balegar (JDS)
13,191 votes

Vijayendra: No doubt, we will get clear majority

BJP state vice-president BY Vijayendra, likely BJP candidate from Shikaripura, has already visited all villages in the constituency, and is now on tour again to meet grassroots workers. Vijayendra speaks to **Marx Tejaswi** en route to villages to meet booth-level workers. Excerpts:

Will the row over internal reservation for SCs that led to a massive protest by Banjaras be a roadblock for your victory as Banjaras also hold the key here?

Such a question does not arise. The opposition parties tried to create confusion, but our workers are reaching out to Banjara voters. The Bommai government's decision will benefit Banjaras. But the opposition, especially Congress, were shocked by the government's decision and indulged in politics over the issue in Shikaripura. But they will not be successful. Shikaripura is the citadel of BJP and will remain so.

How many seats do you think BJP will win?

We are confident that we will get a clear majority. There is no question of Congress coming to power, it's only BJP that will.

Are you willing to contest from Varuna?

My father has already clarified that. Party workers in Varuna wanted me to contest from there. But when party workers of Shikaripura invite me to contest from here, it is my duty to respect their feelings. But the party will take a final call and it will be known in four or five days.

Do you think that Lingayats will continue to vote for BJP?

Nobody limits Yediyurappa to a community and people of all communities have accepted his leadership. Minorities also express their support to Yediyurappa and my brother BY Raghavendra as they have developed the constituency and also ensured that there are no tensions.

BJP state vice-president BY Vijayendra greets people in Shikaripura | MARX TEJASWI

EXPRESS READ

Author and philanthropist Sudha Murty receives the Padma Bhushan from President Droupadi Murmu for her contribution in the field of social work, in Rashtrapati Bhavan, New Delhi, on Wednesday. "I owe this award to the people of India. I hope my recognition today inspires the younger generation to take up social welfare as a vocation...," Sudha said.

ELECTION SQUAD SEIZES FOUR BUSES OF PILGRIM VOTERS

TUMAKURU: The Election Commission flying squad seized four buses in which Madhugiri JDS MLA MV Veerabhadraiah had allegedly sent voters on a pilgrimage. Police registered an FIR in connection with the matter on Wednesday. A couple of days ago, videos of voters going on a tour to Dharmasthala and other places, with the MLA himself sending them off, went viral on social media. The squad zeroed in on the buses and seized them on their return. JDS leaders had organised the trip for about 150 voters of different villages on behalf of the MLA, it is alleged. Veerabhadraiah was not available for comment. Meanwhile, IT sleuths raided two houses belonging to a businessman in Gandhinagar area of Tumakuru, and seized Rs 25 lakh in cash. The accused allegedly had connections with politicians, and the raid was carried out following a tip-off by his rivals, sources told *TNIE*.

JDS WON'T BURDEN PEOPLE TO IMPLEMENT SCHEMES: KUMARASWAMY

BENGALURU: Senior Janata Dal (Secular) leader and former chief minister HD Kumaraswamy has said that he will not burden people by imposing an additional tax or will not borrow loans to implement the 'Pancharatna' schemes if his party is voted to power. The JDS leader, who held the 'Pancharatna' campaign in Gandhinagar and Chamarajapet Assembly constituencies on Thursday, said the 'Pancharatna' programme had schemes that would help eradicate poverty in Bengaluru as the schemes address issues such as education, health, housing and employment. He reiterated that Rs 5,000 pension to senior citizens, Rs 2,500 for widows and specially challenged and Rs 2,000 for auto drivers will be given.

Differences subside in Congress, but fight still on over seat selection?

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI
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DIFFERENCES within Congress seem to have been ironed out, but party leaders, especially Karnataka Pradesh Congress Committee (KPCC) president DK Shivakumar and Congress Legislature Party (CLP) leader Siddaramaiah, are in a fight to safeguard the interests of their supporters in seat selection.

"They are trying to get the numbers in their favour if the party comes to power. For instance, Shivakumar favoured former minister Motamma's daughter Nayana's candidature, among others, during the selection of candidates," said a party insider.

Shivakumar took the seat battle to the Siddaramaiah camp by getting more tickets for his followers. But there seems to be a tacit understanding between the two leaders with Siddaramaiah not touching constituencies in the Vokkaliga belt of the Old Mysuru region, including Bengaluru, except for a few seats. Shivakumar has conceded regions where Kurubas, the community Siddaramaiah belongs to, are in sizable numbers, especially in the central Karnataka region, a source said. But this peace could only be short term, he warned.

AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge mostly went by the party surveys. But he has also managed to keep Shivakumar, Siddaramaiah and other leaders to restrict themselves to the regions where they have some clout, sources said. This is evident from Vokkaliga leader Puttanna, who resigned as BJP MLC, being assured of Rajajinagar seat, while Siddarmaiah's follower NY Gopalakrishna the Molakalmuru ticket.

Siddaramaiah is said to have backed Kimmane Rathnakar, Byrathi Suresh, Akhanda Srinivasmurthy, Santhosh Lad among others. Shivakumar supported Umapathy Gowda for Bommanahalli, Keshav Rajanna (Yelahanka) and Dhananjay (Dasarahalli), who are Vokkaligas.

There was confusion in Mandya and Hassan districts as Shivakumar has been backing novices, especially Muralimohan, who hails from Jigani in Anekal constituency.

Veterans, including M Veerappa Moily, Dr G Parameshwara and KH Muniyappa, tried to have their say, but failed as Kharge, Shivakumar and Siddaramaiah prevailed, a source said. But the big question is whose faction will win how many seats. On this front, Shivakumar is at a disadvantage as JDS is still a strong force in Old Mysuru.

POLL-READY

Congress 2nd list out today, says Surjewala

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THE contentious second list of candidates for Congress that was expected to be announced on Wednesday will have to wait till Thursday. "Before 11 am tomorrow, a list of candidates will be released. The CEC will continue its discussion on the remaining few seats tomorrow at 2.30 pm," said Congress General Secretary Randeep Singh Surjewala.

The Congress Central Election Committee members were huddled in a meeting on Tuesday and Wednesday to decide the second list which is expected to include almost all the remaining 100 seats. While there has been unanimity on the majority of seats, there is no clarity on a few seats, sources said. Deciding the first list was easy as the party mostly picked sitting MLAs or those who lost by narrow margins. The second list is taking time as they have to depend on party surveys and ground reports sources said.

LEVEL PLAYING FIELD

Amid Big 3, smaller parties look to make it big in Battle 2023

CHETAN MG @ Bengaluru

WHILE the Big 3 — BJP, Congress and JDS — are striving hard to come to power in Karnataka, there are a few other political parties that want to open their account in the May 10 Assembly elections.

The Aam Aadmi Party (AAP), which is in power in Delhi and Punjab, wants to make inroads in Karnataka, especially in urban areas.

Though it fielded candidates in all 28 Assembly constituencies in Bengaluru in 2018, voters were not in the party's favour and as a result, all candidates lost their deposits.

The Social Democratic Party of India (SDPI), which has a strong presence in coastal Karnataka, contested only three seats but got a vote share of 10.5% in the segments it fought.

This poll season, there are a few new parties which are lined up to make an impact. Upset over not getting the importance he enjoyed in the BJP earlier, former minister Gali Janardhana Reddy has floated Kalyana Rajya Pragati Paksha, hoping to dent the prospects of the saffron party, particularly in the Kalyana Karnataka. Also, there are new parties such as Karnataka Rashtra Samiti (KRS) Party and actor Upendra's Uttama Prajakeeya Party (UPP) which are making some noise. While KRS Party has connected with the public through its fight against corruption and maladministration, UPP has drawn the people's attention through its unconventional approach.

NO OF PARTIES THAT CONTESTED K'TAKA ASSEMBLY POLLS	
2008	31
2013	59
2018	83

Political observers, however, opine that the voters of Karnataka have always chosen national or large regional parties over small and new political outfits.

"Ideologies of parties play a key role in their existence. Many come up with the ideology of fighting corruption but they are not major issues for voters during this period. Unless they fill up the ideological gaps that exist, their survival is an impossibility," said a political expert.

Ravi Krishna Reddy, president, KRS Party, however, said his party would be a disruptive political entity this election. "We are the most visible and active political party on the ground and social media. In the last three-and-a-half years, we have come a long way and have close to 40,000 paid members. We are completely a crowd-funded party and there is no other party which is as transparent as ours. There is an overwhelming response from people, who are impressed with the campaigns we have organised. KRS members will contest from all 224 constituencies. I am confident that we will make an impact," he said, adding that the party will also play a big role in ensuring a free and fair election.

VOTE SHARE IN KARNATAKA

	2008	2013	2018
National parties	71.71%	57.75%	74.82%
State parties	18.96%	20.19%	18.36%
State parties (other states)	1.46%	0.62%	0.25%
Registered (unrecognised) parties	0.94%	14.06%	1.78%
Independents	6.92%	7.38%	3.93%

As many as 25 people were hospitalised after drinking contaminated water in Kuntanala village of Ballari district on Tuesday. Over the last four days, cases of vomiting and dehydration have been on the rise, which on Tuesday, led to 20 people getting admitted to the Kuntanala village primary hospital

HC hears BJP plea on Bandi arrest as 'first matter' today

TS oppn party contends police actions are unlawful, arbitrary, violative of principles of natural justice, and unconstitutional

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JUSTICE Abhinand Kumar Shavili of the Telangana High Court on Wednesday admitted a house motion habeas corpus petition filed by BJP Bhagyanagar district president Samreddy Surender Reddy.

Surender Reddy moved the petition, aggrieved by the actions of the police in detaining and arresting BJP state president Bandi Sanjay from his residence in Karimnagar on April 4. He contended that the police's actions were unlawful, arbitrary, violative of principles of natural justice, and unconstitutional. The court directed the registry to list the matter as the first case on Thursday.

The petitioner claimed that on April 4, Sanjay went to his residence in Karimnagar at about 11 pm to attend the 10th day ceremony of his mother-in-law on April 5. While he was having dinner at about 11.30 pm, the police detained him and took him away forcibly without informing him or his family members of the reason.

Telangana BJP president Bandi Sanjay raises his fist in front of his supporters, after coming out of the residence of the Warangal first-class magistrate on Wednesday

The police also prevented him from taking his daily medicines for his heart problem and a lawyer from meeting him, the petitioner alleged. By preventing Sanjay from attending the customary 10th day ceremony of his mother-in-law, the police denied him his Right to Life and Liberty as guaranteed under Article 21 of the Constitution, he said.

The petitioner further alleged that the police moved his client from one location to another. As a result of the high-handed and illegal police actions, the family members, party leaders, and workers were concerned about his whereabouts and his illegal incarceration, he said. The petitioner requested the court to order the police to immediately present Sanjay before the court and order his immediate release in the interest of justice. The High Court will consider the plea as the first matter on Thursday. Respondents in the plea include the Principal Secretary, Department of Home; DGP; Karimnagar Police Commissioner; Rachakonda Police Commissioner; SHO, Karimnagar I-Town Police Station; and SHO, Bommalaramaram Police Station.

Police name Karimnagar MP as accused number 1

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IN New Delhi, BJP MPs submitted a privilege motion notice to the Lok Sabha Speaker.

The police named the Karimnagar BJP MP as accused No 1 and booked him under Sections 120(B), 420, 447, 505 (1)(b) of IPC, Section 4 (a), 6r/w 9 of TS Public Examination (Prevention of Malpractices) Act, 1997, and Section 66-D of the IT Act. All these are non-bailable provisions, which entail 3-7 years of imprisonment. Besides Sanjay, the police named nine others as accused, including a minor boy in the paper leak case.

The developments came after a minor photocopied the Hindi question paper from a student, who was taking the exam at the ZP high school at Kamalapur in Hanamkonda district on Tuesday. A copy found its way into WhatsApp groups. The A-2, Boora Prashanth, forwarded the same to Sanjay and other BJP leaders and journalists. According to the police, as per the WhatsApp chats between Sanjay and Prashanth from Monday onwards provided evidence that both hatched a conspiracy. The remand report stated that this was 'a case of preplanned and evil designed criminal conspiracy', with an intention to create rumours and provoke breach of peace and to show it as the failure of the government to prevent the paper leak, the report said.

MADHU LYNCHING

13 get 7 years in jail, 1 sentenced to 3 months

ENS @Palakkad

All the 14 convicted in the lynching of a tribal youth in Attappadi five years ago have been sentenced by the Special Court for SC/ST cases in Mannarkkad on Wednesday. Except for the 16th accused, all the others were awarded seven years' rigorous imprisonment and fined. The judgment was delivered by Judge K M Ratheesh Kumar.

The first accused, M Hussein, was slapped a fine of Rs 1.05 lakh, while the remaining 12 – 2nd, 3rd, 5th, 6th, 7th, 8th, 9th, 10th, 12th, 13th, 14th, and 15th accused -- have been asked to pay Rs 1.18 lakh. The 16th accused, Muneer, who was charged under Section 352 (minor assault due to provocation), was handed three months' simple imprisonment and fined Rs 500. Since he was imprisoned during the remand period, Muneer will walk free on paying the fine.

The 486-page judgment charged 13 of the 14 accused under Section 304(2) -- culpable homicide not amounting to murder – and under provisions of the Prevention of Atrocities on Scheduled Castes and Tribes Act.

The other accused Marakkar, Shamsudheen, Radhakrishnan, Aboobacker, Siddique, Ubaid, Najeeb, Jaijumon, Sajeevan, Satheesh, Hareesh and Biju were convicted under Sections 143, 147, 323, 324, 326, 367 and 304 (2) r/w 149 and also under 3 (1) d of the SC/ST (POA) Act. Madhu was lynched by a mob on February 22, 2018.

HOLY DIP

5 DROWN IN LAKE DURING TEMPLE RITUAL IN CHENNAI

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FIVE men who were taking part in a temple ritual at Moovarasampet Lake near Madipakkam in Chennai drowned in the water body on Wednesday morning. They were part of a group of 25, including priests, who had entered the lake to perform 'theerthavari' ceremony for the panguni uthiram festival of Dharmalingeshwarar Temple in Nanganallur.

All the five bodies were retrieved by fire department personnel and sent to Chromepet Government Hospital for postmortem. CM MK Stalin expressed his condolences and ordered Rs 2 lakh solatium each to the families of the victims from the CM's Public Relief Fund. The Pazhavanthangal police are probing the case.

Police identified the deceased as B Surya alias Gururajan (24) R Raghavan (22) and V Vanesh (19), all from Nanganallur, and P Yogeshwaran (19) of Keelkatalai, and R Sriram alias Raghav (19) of Puluthivakkam. Police said Surya, a Class-10 dropout, worked with his father in their catering company, and Raghavan and Sriram were pursuing CA. Vanesh was pursuing BCom through correspondence and Yogeshwaran worked at a car showroom. Police said the victims did not know swimming.

"The victims had gone to the lake for the ritual with a group of people around 10 am. Nearly 25 from the group entered the water. As part of the ceremony, they formed a circle inside the water holding hands to take holy dips. While taking the dips, three of them drifted away to deeper parts of the lake and started drowning. Two others, who saw them, tried to pull them out but they too lost balance, drowned and went under water," a police officer told *TNIE*.

Upon information, personnel from Palavanthangal police station and Velachery Fire and Rescue Services units rushed to the scene. The bodies were retrieved. Temple authorities could not be reached for comment.

A policeman keeps vigil at the Moovarasampet Lake, where the incident occurred on Wednesday | MARTIN LOUIS

Quota move may make poll ride tough for BJP

DEVARAJ B HIREHALLI @Bengaluru

THE ruling BJP in Karnataka is likely to face backlash from various communities ahead of the Assembly polls on May 10 over the issue of reservation, especially with regard to the Scheduled Caste (SC) quota being categorised into four groups.

Chief Minister **Basavaraj Bommai** had himself claimed that he has been trying to look at addressing the issues of reservation for all communities. Now there are signs of the decisions backfiring on the ruling party ahead of the polls. For instance, the Lambani community is upset, with some members allegedly throwing stones at former CM B S Yediyurappa's house in Shikaripura, and a religious head also attempting suicide.

"We have rejected the Sadashiva Commission report, but have categorised the quota. We have helped the Lambani community by filing a report in their favour at the National SC Commission that it cannot be removed from the SC category," Law Minister J C Madhu Swamy maintained, following the resolutions of Bommai's last cabinet meeting.

Govt corrects caste names in groups

In a corrigendum issued through an order on March 27, 2023, the government included Adidravida, Bhambi, Madiga and Samagara in Group-1; the Adikarnataka, Chalavadi, Holaya, Channadar, Mahar, and its synonyms in Group-2; the Bajara, Bhovi, Korama, Koracha, and its synonyms in Group-3; and as many as 88 castes, including Adiya, Bant, Bedajangam, Budga Jagam, and Bhangi in Group-4.

The community which was enjoying an existing 15-per cent quota among 101 SC castes has now been 'restricted' to Group-3 with 4.5 per cent cap with four castes. These communities started backing the BJP after 2008, as they reposed their faith in Yediyurappa.

The SC right, which was accorded 5.5 per cent in Group-2, was traditionally with Congress, and is likely to go with the Congress as AICC president Mallikarjun Kharge is their leader. Meanwhile, the SC left, which has been given 6 per cent, may continue to back the BJP, as Union minister A Narayanaswamy and state minister Govind Karjol also belong to their group. But the 88 other communities in Group-4 being given a mere 1 per cent quota may tilt the balance. Former chairman of Backward Classes Commission, Dr C S Dwarakanath, claimed that in fact their population is not less than 5 per cent, and the 1 per cent quota is inadequate.

The issues related to the Panchamasali Lingayats and Vokkaligas also likely to have an impact too. Though Panchamasali seer Sri Jaya Mrutyunjaya Swami called off their strike, he said it will be resumed after the polls, as the hike of 2 per cent against the 15 per cent sought is not enough. Meanwhile, Kunchitiga Vokkaliga seer Sri Nanjavadutha Swami took on the government in Mandya on Monday over a 2 per cent hike. Meanwhile, Bommai blamed the Congress for inciting the people over the quota, which is unlikely to die down anytime soon.

LCA TRAINER COMPLETES MAIDEN SORTIE

BENGALURU: In a major milestone for the LCA Tejas, the first-ever series production standard LCA Trainer (LT 5201) completed a successful sortie on Wednesday. "As a major milestone in the phase of LCA Tejas Program, the first-ever series production standard LCA Trainer (LT 5201) manufactured by HAL took to the skies for its maiden flight on 5th Apr 2023 from HAL airport, and landed after completing a successful sortie of around 35 minutes," the Hindustan Aeronautics Limited said in an official statement. **ENS**

Video led to arrest of accused in a few hours

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THIS video is said to have resulted in the police identifying his location, which subsequently led to the five being arrested within a few hours of posting the video. The Ramanagara police were helped by the Rajasthan and Gujarat police. The accused, who will be produced before a court in Rajasthan, will be brought to Karnataka after obtaining a transit warrant.

The other accused have been identified as Gopi, a resident of Gadagaihanadoddi of Ramanagara taluk, Pawan Kumar of Nonaburu in Thirthahalli, Pilling Ambigar, a resident of Basavanagudi, and Suresh Kumar of Raichur. Of them, Pawan Kumar is said to be an electronic media reporter. "The accused, after the incident (on Saturday morning), had taken the Belagavi route to escape first to Gujarat, and from there to Rajasthan," BR Ravikanthe Gowda, IGP, Central Range, told *TNIE*. Four teams of Ramanagara police were formed to nab them. They were arrested while trying to escape in a car, which was intercepted at Banswara.

Mandya's Pasha, along with Irfan (37) and Syed Zaheer (40), was transporting around 15 cattle (buffaloes and cows) in a vehicle, which was allegedly waylaid by Kerehalli and his associates, who were in a car near Santemala Circle around 12.30 am on Saturday. Pasha and Irfan escaped, while Zaheer was caught and allegedly assaulted. Kerehalli is said to have demanded Rs 2 lakh and threatened to kill him if he didn't pay. The police reached the spot and took Kerehalli, his four associates, and Zaheer to the police station. However, some hours later, Pasha's body, with marks of torture, was found a few hundred metres from Sathanur police station.

CCB to investigate threat letters to Sudeep

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CCB sleuths are on the lookout for the people who sent two threat letters to the JP Nagar 6th Phase residence of actor Kiccha Sudeep. The accused have used derogatory words against the actor and threatened to release his private videos.

Sudeep's manager Manjunath, alias Jack Manju, had filed a complaint at Puttenahalli police station on March 29. The letters were sent to the actor's house on March 10. The manager, when contacted by *TNIE*, refused to comment, saying it's an old matter.

City Police Commissioner Pratap Reddy transferred the case from Puttenahalli police station to the CCB on Wednesday for further investigations. Somebody who was aware of the letters is suspected to have made it public just a few hours before the actor's press conference announcing his decision to support the BJP.

During the presser, the actor said he is aware of the person who sent the letter, and it is from the film industry.

"It is an old issue. Don't know why it has popped up now. Anyways, I don't want to comment on the matter. We don't know the person behind it. A complaint was filed with the police," Manjunath said.

DCP (South) P Krishnakant told *TNIE* that the case was transferred to CCB for further investigations. A case of intentional insult with intent to provoke breach of the peace (IPC 504), criminal intimidation (IPC 506) and criminal conspiracy (IPC 120B) has been registered against the accused.

CM stood by me, recalls actor

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THE BJP, which has already made attempts to woo this community through its reservation policy, has now roped in **Sudeep**, who belongs to the Valmiki caste. Sudeep said he is supporting Bommai whom he fondly calls "mama" (uncle) as he had helped him during his days of struggle. "If he tells me to campaign for certain candidates, I will do so," he added. Sudeep said he would have campaigned for Bommai even if he was in a different party. "My decision to support Bommai will not change my fans' opinion about me," he added. On corruption, Sudeep said the country has strong laws to prevent it. A few weeks ago, Sudeep's photo with KPCC president DK Shivakumar went viral. This led to speculation that he would join the Congress. When asked about this, the actor said he personally knew Shivakumar. "Leaders of political parties do approach actors to contest in elections or campaign for them. It is common," he said hinting that Congress had approached him. Bommai said that one should respect his relationship with Sudeep. "He has not joined BJP. He is here to support me. We also need his support. He is here to campaign for me and the party," he added. Asked if he had organized the press meet, Bommai said, "If it was from the party, it would have been at the BJP office." Meanwhile, slamming BJP leaders, Congress said they (BJP) have understood that they will neither get votes through Modi nor Bommai. That is why Bommai has roped in a cine actor.

COMPLAINT: Even as Sudeep announced that he would campaign for BJP, a complaint has been filed with the chief electoral officer of Karnataka to stop the actor's TV shows and films in the state. In his complaint, Shivamogga-based advocate KP Sripala stated that telecast of Sudeep's TV shows and screening of his films would influence voters. They would be in violation of the model code of conduct. Hence, Sudeep's TV shows and films should not be telecast or screened.

28 rape cases till Feb 28

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BECAUSE of this, perpetrators commit similar crimes, according to a former member of the state-level vigilance and monitoring committee under the SC/ST (Prevention of Atrocities) Act. The former member pointed out that while most of the offences are related to attack, attempt to murder and rioting, there are cases of murder, rape and molestation of SC/ST women. As far as rape cases are concerned, 130 were reported in 2018. The number of cases increased to 210 in 2019, came down to 153 in 2020, went up to 188 in 2021 and 222 in 2022. Twenty-eight rape cases have been reported till February 28 this year. Other cases against members of these communities stood at 299 till February end.

CCTV footage in police station missing on day of torture

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CCTV recordings for March 10, 11 and 12 of Ambasamudram police station, where about 10 suspects including two juveniles, were allegedly tortured by suspended ASP **Balveer Singh** and a few other policemen have 'gone missing' due to a technical error in the system. According to sources, police had said this to Cheranmahadevi sub-divisional magistrate MD Shabbir Alam when he visited the station to check the footage on Tuesday.

Six suspects, including E Chellappa, were named in an FIR (49/2023) registered on March 10. The complainant in the case was R Ganesan. Along with the suspects and the complainant, Ganesan's three friends, including two juveniles, were allegedly brought to the Ambasamudram police station for inquiry on that day.

The victims' teeth were allegedly pulled out using pliers, their private parts were injured and they were thrashed with batons, the victims had told reporters.

According to the directions of the Supreme Court issued on December 2, 2020, if there is any fault in CCTV camera, the SHO must immediately report it to the district collector, who is the chairman of district level oversight committee (DLOC).

However, an official of the magisterial division of the Tirunelveli district collectorate said no information about faulty CCTVs was received from the Ambasamudram SHO for the dates.

EXPRESS READ

Bangalore City Co-op Bank's fin statement

BENGALURU: The Bangalore City Co-operative Bank Limited on Wednesday released its financial performance and achievements for FY2022- 23. It stated that its share capital exceeded Rs 95.43 crore, reserve fund and other funds exceeded Rs 445.08 crore, deposits exceeded Rs 2,264.67 crore, working capital exceeded Rs 2,805.18 crore, investment in government securities and other exceeded Rs 1,178.92 crore. The loans and advances to members exceeded Rs 1,448.08 crore. The total business exceeded Rs 3,712.75 crore. The profit before tax and provisions was Rs 95.83 crore and net profit after tax and provisions was Rs 28.53 crore.

Ramaiah Medical College graduation day

BENGALURU: Ramaiah Medical College celebrated its 39th Graduation Day on March 31. The chief guest at the event included Padmashri Dr Balram Bhargava, Prof and Head, Cardiology, Chief, Cardiothoracic Sciences Centre, AIIMS, New Delhi, and former Director General, ICMR and Secretary, Department of Health Research and Justice Ahsanuddin Amanullah, Judge of Supreme Court, India. As many as 335 graduates received the medical degree certificates and 31 graduates were awarded medals.

Rail Wheel Factory production milestone

BENGALURU: The Rail Wheel Factory has out performed and achieved milestones for the financial year 2022- 23. According to officials, in the FY 2022-23, 81,480 wheelsets were manufactured and 81,305 wheelsets were dispatched. This is the best ever performance of wheelset outturn for a fiscal. During the said fiscal, 21,0778 wheels were cast. The officials said this was the best ever total number of wheels cast for the year. Earlier, 20,9562 wheels were cast during 2008-09. Also 91,889 axles were manufactured, 6,857 good heats were tapped, which is also the highest number in RWF history. The previous best was 6,601 heats during 2015-16. Also during March- 2023, RWF created history by producing 9,255 wheelsets.

TAMIL NADU GENERATION AND DISTRIBUTION CORPORATION LTD.

NOTICE INVITING TENDERS (E-TENDERING PROCESS)

Sl. No.	Tender Inviting Authority	Specification No.	Total
1	SE/P&A/NCTPS-I	CE-01	1
2	CE/ MM	M.2	1

For details of works / Procurement / Due date of submission/opening, viewing and downloading of e-tenders, please visit website, **www.tangedco.gov.in. www.tenders.tn.gov.in, www.tntenders.gov.in/nicgep/app**

"சோதனை கடந்து சுதந்திரம் அடைந்தோம், சாதனை புரிந்து சரித்திரம் படைப்போம்." DIPR/2030/Tender/2023

AMANATH CO-OPERATIVE BANK LIMITED

Central Office, Amanath House, No.43, Hospital Road, Shivaji Nagar Bengaluru-560001, Phone - 22957710/16

NOTICE

We refer to our advertisement dated 27/03/2023 in the New Indian Express, Kannada Prabha and The Daily Salar dated 26/03/2023 regarding the sale of immovable property situated at 5th Avenue Mall, Brigade Road, Bengaluru-560001. Due to public demand the acceptance of tenders has been Extended from 06/04/2023 to 15/04/2023. The other terms and conditions which were published remains same. Interested bidders are required to submit their sealed tenders on or before 15/04/2023 before 5.00 P M at Amanath Coo-perative Bank Limited, Central Office, Shivajinagar Bengaluru-560001 and the date of opening of tenders will be on 17/04/2023 at 11.00 AM at Amanath Co-operative Bank Limited, Central office, Shivajinagar, Bengaluru-560001.

For any further information please contact Mr. SYED SUHAIL SIDDIQ
MOBILE NO : 9844541174

CHIEF EXECUTIVE OFFICER

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central Processing Centre (RACPC) - I,Basavangudi
No. 13/1, Kanaka's Pride, Bull Temple Road, Opp. Sri Rama Krishna Math, Basavanagudi, Bengaluru -560 004, Tel: 080 -25943145/46/3668, Fax: 080 - 25943367, Email: mgrracpc.zoban@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Properties)

No.GWR/40984/HL/79 **A/c Nos.64171590202**

WHEREAS, the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **03.01.2023** calling upon the Borrowers/Mortgagors, **1) Smt. Manjula K**, W/o Shri N. B. Chandrashekaraiah, **& 2) Shri N B Chandrashekaraiah,** S/o Shri Bhadraiah, **Both residing at: (i)** No.16, 'Manasvini', BEML 7th Stage, Krishna Garden Main Road, Mylasandra Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bengaluru – 560059 **(ii)** No.24,1st main, 5th Stage, BEML Layout, Rajarajeswari Nagar, Bengaluru - 560 098 to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.1,74,57,000/- (HTL – Rs.86,55,085/- + SME Loan -Rs.88,01,915/-)** (Rupees One Crore Seventy Four Lakh Fifty Seven Thousand Only) as on 02.01.2023 + interest from 03.01.2023+ incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrowers/mortgagors having failed to repay the amount in full as mentioned in the Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrowers/mortgagors and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the immovable property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on **03.04.2023**

The borrowers/mortgagors in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the below mentioned immovable property and any dealings with the said immovable property will be subject to the charge of the **State Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs.88,76,080/-** (Rupees Eighty Eight Lakh Seventy Six Thousand Eighty Only) as on 02.04.2023 and interest from 03.04.2023 + expenses thereon.

The borrower/mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY
(FOR BOTH HOUSING LOAN & SME LOAN):

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing House Site No.16, House List No. 1382/16/1839/1904, formed in Sy No.20/2, measuring 1 Acre converted from agriculture to non- agricultural - residential purpose vide order No.BDIS.ALN.SR.(S)312/1996-97 dated 24.01.1997 issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore South, situated at BEML 7th Stage, Mylasandra Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, presently comes under the limits of BBMP Bangalore, assigning new Municipal No.1922/2012/1382/16/1839/1904 of Mylasandra assigned to Kengeri Sub Division Bangalore, PID No.198-W0268-24, measuring East to West 30 ft. and North to South 41 ft., totally 1230 Sq. feet, consisting of 29 squares (GF - 5 Squares + FF - 9 Squares + SF - 9 Squares + TF - 6 Squares) RCC Roofed building with Granite Flooring, teak wood frames, doors and windows, standing in the joint names of **(1) Smt. Manjula K,** W/o Shri Chandrashekaraiah & **(2) Shri. N. B. Chandrashekaraiah**, S/o Shri Bhadraiah, vide Sale Deed dated 17.04.2015 and Registered as Document No.272/2015-16 and CD No RRND155 dated 17.04.2015. at SRO, Rajarajeshwari Nagar, Bengaluru and Mortgaged in favour of the Bank vide Memorandum of Deposit of Title Deeds registered as Document No. No.RRN-1-00273/2015-16 and stored in CD No.RRND155 on 17.04.2015 at SRO, Jayanagar (Rajarajeshwarinagar), Bengaluru and the Mortgaged extended and enhanced vide Document No.RRN-1-01962/2017-18 and stored in CD No.RRND188 on 27.07.2017 at SRO, Rajarajeswari Nargar, Bengaluru and the property is bounded on the: East by : Site No.17, West by: Site No.15, North by: Road,South by : Private Property.

Place: Bengaluru Sd/-
Date :03.04.2023 **Authorised Officer & Chief Manager**

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client intend to purchase the below mentioned Schedule Property from its lawful owner viz., **SMT.VANI.S.MURTHY,** aged about 70 years, W/o.Sri.Sivananda Murthy, residing at No.183B, 1st Main Road, Classic Orcards, Behind Menakshi Temple, Bannerghatta Road, Bangalore-560076.The Owner represent that she is the absolute owner and has good marketable right, title and interest therein and there are no other persons have any right or claim over the Schedule Property.

Any person or persons, Banks, Financial institutions etc., having any valid right, title interest or any claim over the Schedule Property or any portions of it in any manner may with documentary evidence lodge their objection/claim/s within **14days** from the date of this public notice with the undersigned, if no valid objections are received within the stipulated date, my client shall proceed on the basis that there are no claims of whatsoever nature with regard to the Schedule Property.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of residentially converted land bearing **Sy.No.186 (Converted vide Official memorandum bearing No.BDS.ALN.SR(S) 530/2004-05 dated: 22-12-2004issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District), Panchayath Property No.1592, Kaggalipura Village Panchayath E-Katha No.150200300100320595, measuring 4478.43 Square Meters situated at Oodhipalya, Kaggalipura Village, Uttarahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore District** and bounded on:-

EAST BY : Land of T.Ramachandra Naidu
WEST BY : Road
NORTH BY : Private Property i.e., land of Sri.Muniyappa in Sy.No.177 and
SOUTH BY : Land of Sri.Shivananda Murthy.

SD/- K.VENKATA SUDHEER, ADVOCATE
NO.548/51/1, 1ST FLOOR GARUTHMAN PARK, ANDAL TEMPLE STREET (BEHIND R.V.TEACHER'S COLLEGE) R.V.ROAD, BASAVANAGUDI BANGALORE – 560 004
MOBILE: 9845682098

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL AT BANGALORE (DRT-1)
4th Floor, Telephone House Building, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

OA No. 374/2022

BETWEEN: STATE BANK OF INDIA, SME Centre, Banasawadi, Bangalore ... **APPLICANT**

AND: M/s. FRIGORIC and another ... **DEFENDANTS**

To, **DEFENDANTS: 1) M/s. FRIGORIC,** No. C-98, 8th Cross, ITI Industrial Area, Mahadevapura, Whitefield Road, Bangalore-560048. Represented by its Proprietor, Sri Siddharth .M

Also at: No. 198/2, 4th Cross, Yellamma Temple Road, Tranquil City, Hennagara Gate, Bommasandra, Bangalore-560099.

2) Sri M. IYYAPPAN, aged about 42 years, S/o. M.A. Margabandu, R/at No. 05, 4th Main Road, B. Narayanapura, Mahadevapura, Bangalore-560048.

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DRT (PROCEDURE)RULE 1996 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1) WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendant for recovery of Rs. 49,86,725/- (Rupees Forty Nine lakh eighty six thousand seven hundred and twenty five only) inclusive of interest till 19/11/2021 along with future interest from 20/11/2021 to, till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with cost of this proceedings in respect of Cash Credit facility Term loan facility, CCECL Loan facility, GECL Loan facility, WCTL Loan facility and for the reliefs.

2) You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **06/06/2023** at 10:30 A.M in the forenoon in person or pleader/advocate duly instructed has to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

3) Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceedings will heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 18/03/2023.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-I Bangalore.

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central Processing Centre, Shankarapuram,(64063)
No. 13/1, 3rd Floor, Bull Temple Road,Opp. Sri Ramakrishna Mutt, Basavanagudi, Bangalore -560 004, Tel: 080 -25943006/07, E-mail:support.shankarpuram@sbi.co.in

DEMAND NOTICE

UNDER SUB SECTION (2) OF SECTION 13 OF THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS AND ENFORCEMENT OF SECURITY INTEREST ACT, 2002 (HEREINAFTER CALLED ACT)

At your request, State Bank of India, has extended credit facility to you, **Smt.Savitri Kanwar** W/o. Praveen Kumar Rao, (Borrower) through its Shankarpuram Branch, Bengaluru various credit facility by way of financial assistance against various assets creating security interest in favour of the bank. The relevant particulars of the said credit facilities and the security agreement / documents executed by the borrower are furnished in the demand notice dated **02.03.2023.** The said financial assistance is also secured by way of deposit of title deeds creating security interest in favour of the Bank.The relevant particular of the secured asset is specifically furnished hereunder. As the operation and conduct of the financial assistance/ credit facility has become irregular, the debt has been classified as Non Performing Asset on **28.02.2023** in accordance with the directives/guidelines issued by Reserve Bank of India consequent to the default committed by the borrower in repayment of the principal debt and interest thereon. As the demand notice Dated **02.03.2023** sent by register AD calling upon you, was un-served/not acknowledged by you, this notice is now issued.

The accounts have been transferred from above said branch, Bengaluru to Retail Assets Central Processing Centre, Shankarpuram, Bengaluru for administrative reasons and hence the undersigned is competent to issue the notice.

File No: YLR/40195/HL/261A/c No. : HL- 41385321872

Name and address of the Borrower : **1. Smt.Savitri Kanwar,** W/o.Praveen Kumar Rao, No.3, Kumar Mansion, Dhaturi Ramanna Lane, S.P. Road Cross, Gollapet, Bengaluru – 560002. **Also at : 1**.Flat No.075, Ground Floor, 'DS – MAX SAROVAR', No.25, Attibele Village, Anekal Taluk, Bengaluru – 562107.**2. Dolphin Telecom,** Ground Floor, No.104, Ist Cross, AM Lane, Thiglarpet,Bengaluru – 560002. **3.**No.28, 2nd Floor, 9th Cross, 4th Main Road, RT Street, Sampangiram Nagara, Bengaluru – 560053. **4.** No.5, K.P.Line, Jolly Mohalla Main Road, Chickpet, Bengaluru – 560053.

Outstanding Loan Amount: Rs.44,40,445/- (Rupees Forty Four Lakhs Forty Thousand Four Hundred and Forty Five only) as on 28.02.2023. plus interest at contractual rate together with incidental expenses, costs, charges, etc.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

ITEM NO. I: All that piece and parcel of immovable converted land of Sy.No.25, measuring to an extent of 3 acre 38 guntas of Attibele Village, AttibeleHobli, AnekalTauk, Bengaluru District vide: Conversion order dated 24.10.2008, in order No.ALN(A)(A) SR553/2008-09 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District and bounded on : East by Survey No.24, West by : Sy.No.25/2 and 26, North by : Sy.No.23, South by : Remaining portion of SY.No.25/1.

ITEM NO. II: All that piece and parcel of immovable converted land of Sy.No.25, measuring to an extent of 1 acre ofAttibele Village, AttibeleHobli, AnekalTaluk, Bengaluru District vide: Conversion order dated 01.08.2009, in order No.ALN(A)(A) SR17/2009-10 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District and bounded on : East by Survey No.24, West by : Sy.No.25/2 and 26, North by : Sy.No.23, South by : Remaining portion of SY.No.25/1.

COMPOSITE SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY : All that piece and parcel of immovable converted land property bearing Sy.No.25, measuring to an extent of 3 acre 38 guntas of Attibele Village, Attibele Hobli, AnekalTaluk, Bengaluru District vide: Conversion order dated 24.10.2008 in order No.ALN(A)(A) SR553/2008-09 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District and whereas immovable converted land property of Sy.No.25, measuring to an extent of 1 acre of Attibele Village, Attibele Hobli, AnekalTaluk, Bengaluru District vide: Conversion order dated 01.08.2009, in order No.ALN(A)(A) SR17/2009-10 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District, which total measuring to an extent of 4 acre 38 guntas, and bounded on : East by : Sy.No.24, West by : 26, North by : Road and Sy.No.23, South by : Road and Remaining portion of Sy.No.25/1.

Schedule 'B' Property: (Un-divided share): 381 sq.ft, undivided share, right, title and interest of land in the total land of Schedule 'A' property referred to above.

Schedule 'C' Property: Flat bearing No.075 in Ground Floor constructed over the Schedule 'A' property contains 2 Bed room, Kitchen, Dinning, Toilet/s, Living Room, one car parking bearing No.075 and the super built up area, measuring 1174 sq.ft in the apartment known as "DS-MAX SAROVAR", along with water and electricity together with common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircase and other areas for common use standing in the name of Smt.Savitri Kanwar.

If you fail to repay the aforesaid sum with interest and incidental expenses within 60 days from the date of this notice, Bank shall exercise all or any of the rights detailed under sub section (4) of the section 13 of the SARFAESI Act. You are also put on notice that in terms of sub section 13 of section 13, you shall not transfer by sale, lease or otherwise the said secured assets detailed above without obtaining written consent of the Bank. This notice is without prejudice to the Banks rights to initiate such other action or legal proceedings as it deem necessary under any other applicable provisions of law.

Your attention is invited to provisions of sub-Section (8) of Section 13 of the SARFAESI Act whereunder you can tender the entire amount of outstanding dues together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank only till the date of publication of the notice for sale of the secured asset(s) by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty. Please also note that if the entire amount of outstanding dues together with the costs, charges and expenses incurred by the Bank is not tendered before publication of notice for sale of the secured assets by public auction, by inviting quotations, tender from public or by private treaty, you may not be entitled to redeem the secured asset(s).

Date : **05.04.2023** **Sd/- Authorised Officer**
Place: Bengaluru State Bank of India, RACPC Shankarpuram, Bengaluru

OFFICE OF THE RECOVERY OFFICER - I
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL BANGALORE (DRT I)
4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhawan Road, Banaglore-560001

FORM NO. 17 [See Rule 53 of the Second Schedule to the Income- Tax Act, 1961]

NOTICE FOR SETTLING A SALE PROCLAMATION UNDER RULE 53 OF THE SECOND SCHEDULE TO THE INCOME TAX ACT, 1961 READ WITH THE RECOVERY OF DEBTS & BANKRUPTCY ACT, 1993.

RC No. 818 of 2019 IN O.A No. 205 of 2018

Canara Bank
Versus
M/s NERC Systems Pvt. Ltd. And Ors
TO, The Certified Debtors,

1. M/s NERC Systems Pvt Ltd., No. 118, 1st main, Kengeri Upanagara, BDA, Kengeri, Bangalore- 560060, **Represented by its director CD 2 & 3, 2. Mr. L G Nagarajaiah** S/o Mr. Y Gopal, No. 102, 3rd main, 9th Block, Vinayaka Layout, Nagarbhavi, Banagalore- 560072, **3. Smt. Rajeshwari M V** W/o Mr. N S Mahadev Prasad, No. 336, 3rd main, 6th Cross, Nagarbhavi, Kalyan Nagar, Banagalore- 560072, **4. Yashwant Engineering Pvt. Ltd.,** Sy No. 130, Machohalli Gate, Vishwaneedam Post, Magadi Main Road, Bangalore-560091, **Represented by its Director CD 2.**

Whereas you were ordered by the Presiding Officer of **DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL BANGALORE (DRT I)** who had issued **Recovery Certificate No. 818 of 2019 in OA No. 205 of 2018** to pay to the Certificate Holder Bank the sum of **Rs. 1,83,06,463/- (Rupees One Crore Eighty Three Lakhs Six Thousand Four Hundred And Sixty Three Only)** along with costs, expenses and future interest **@ 14.75% p.a plus 2% penal interest** compounded monthly from the date of filling **OA 05.01.2018** till the date of realization in full, jointly, severally and personally and whereas as the said has amount not been paid by you, the undersigned has ordered the sale of under mentioned immovable properties.

You are hereby informed that the day on or after fifteenth day from the date of service of this notice has been fixed for drawing up the proclamation of sale and setting the terms thereof, you are requested to bring to the notice of the undersigned any encumbrances, charges, claims or liabilities attaching to the said properties or any portion thereof.

SPECIFICATION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES : ITEM NO. 1

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing site no. 102, 3rd Main, 9th Block, Vinayaka layout, Nagarabhavi, Bangalore, Measuring East To West 40 Feet And North To South 60 Feet, together with building constructed thereon and bounded on: East By : Property Bearing Site No. 103, West By : Property Bearing Site No. 101, North By : Road, South By : Property Bearing Site No. 109 And 110.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on 03rd day of April, 2023

RECOVERY OFFICER-I
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA,
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I, BENGALURU
DEPARTMENT OF FINANCIAL SERVICES
4th Floor Telephone House, Rajbhawan Road, Bangalore-560001

FORM NO. I.T.C.P. 16 [See rule 48 of the Second Schedule To the Income-Tax Act, 1961]

WARRANT OF ATTACHMENT OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

(See Sections 25 and Sec 29 of the Recovery of Debts Due to Banks & Other Financial Institutions Act, 1993 read with II Schedule to the Income Tax Act, 1961)

RC No. 818 of 2019 IN O.A No. 205 of 2018

Canara Bank
Versus
M/s NERC Systems Pvt. Ltd. And Ors
To, The Certified Debtors,

1. M/S NERC Systems Pvt Ltd. No. 118, 1st main, Kengeri Upanagara, BDA, Kengeri, Bangalore- 560060, **Represented by its director CD 2 & 3, 2. MR. L G Nagarajaiah** S/o Mr. Y Gopal, No. 102, 3rd main, 9th Block, Vinayaka Layout, Nagarbhavi, Banagalore- 560072, **3. Smt. Rajeshwari M V** W/o Mr. N S Mahadev Prasad, No. 336, 3rd main, 6th Cross, Nagarbhavi, Kalyan Nagar, Banagalore- 560072, **4. Yashwant Engineering Pvt. Ltd.,** Sy no. 130, Machohalli Gate, Vishwaneedam Post, Magadi Main Road, Bangalore-560091, **Represented by its Director CD 2.**

Whereas the above named Certificate Debtors were ordered by the **Presiding Officer of DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL BANGALORE (DRT 1)** who had issued Recovery Certificate **No. 818 of 2019 in OA No. 205 of 2018** to pay to the Certificate Holder Bank the sum of **Rs.1,83,06,463/- (Rupees One Crore Eighty Three Lakhs Six Thousand Four Hundred And Sixty Three Only) along with costs, expenses and future interest @ 14.75% p.a plus 2% penal interest** compounded monthly from the date of filling **OA 05.01.2018** till the date of realization in full, jointly, severally and personally and whereas the certificate debtors failed to pay the said amount.

This is to command you to attach the immovable property of the said Certificate Debtors as set forth in the Schedule hereunto annexed and unless they shall pay to you the above said sum and the costs of this attachment, to hold the same until further orders from the Recovery Officer.

You are further commanded to return the Warrant on or before **08.05.2023** with an endorsement certifying the day on which and the manner in which it has been executed or why it has not been executed.

SPECIFICATION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES : ITEM NO. 1

All that piece and parcel of the property bearing site no. 102, 3rd Main, 9th Block, Vinayaka layout, Nagarabhavi, Bangalore, measuring east to west 40 feet and north to south 60 feet together with building constructed thereon and bounded on : East By: Property Bearing Site No. 103, West By : Property Bearing Site No. 101, North By: Road, South By : Property Bearing Site No. 109 And 110.

Given under my hand and seal of this Tribunal on 03rd Day Of April, 2023

RECOVERY OFFICER-1,
DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-1 BENGALURU

STATE BANK OF INDIA

Retail Assets Central Processing Centre (RACPC) - III, Banaswadi
Maruti Mansion, 7M -422, 80 Feet Road, Kalyan Nagar, Bengaluru -560043, TEL No: 080 -25943790/91, FAX No: 080 -25943793, E-mail Id: sbi.15628@sbi.co.in

POSSESSION NOTICE

Under Rule 8(1) (For Immovable Property)

No.GWR/11290/HL/2445 **A/c. No.HTL 40661045511**

WHEREAS,the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **State Bank of India** under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the powers conferred under section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued a Demand Notice dated **11.01.2023** calling upon the Borrower/Mortgagor, **Shri Mahesha S.,**S/o Shri Siddegowda, No.24, Managalli – 2, Kollegala, Chamrajnagar Dist., Karnataka- 571439 Also at: (i) Flat No.079, Ground Floor, 'DS-MAX SAROVAR', Attibele, Anekal Taluk – 562107 (ii) No.143/1, GEM Residency, 17th Cross Road, 18th Main Road, J. P. Nagar, 5th Phase, Bengaluru – 560076 **Office Address:Shri Mahesha S., Sub Inspector,** Office of the ADGP Internal Security, No.60, Richmond Road, Bengaluru – 560025, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice being **Rs.39,66,509/-** (Rupees Thirty Nine Lakh Sixty Six Thousand Five Hundred Nine Only) as on **10.01.2023** + interest from **11.01.2023+** incidental expenseswithin 60 days from the date of the said notice.

The borrower/mortgagor having failed to repay the amount in full as mentioned in the Demand Notice, notice is hereby given to the borrower/ mortgagorand the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on **05.04.2023.**

The borrower/mortgagor in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the below mentioned property and any dealings with the said property will be subject to the charge ofthe **State Bank of India** for an amount of **Rs.40,46,986/- (Rupee Forty Lakh Forty Six Thousand Nine Hundred Eighty Six Only)** as on **29.03.2023** and interest from **30.03.2023+** expenses thereon

The borrower/mortgagor's attention is invited to provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured assets.

DESCRIPTION OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

ITEM NO. 1: All that piece and parcel of immovable converted land of Sy.No.25, measuring to an extent of 3 acre 38 Guntas of Attibele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District vide; conversion Order dated24/10/2008 in OrderNo.ALN(A)(A)SR553/2008-09 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and bounded on: East by:Survey No.24,West by:Sy.No.25/2 and 26, North by: Sy.No.23, South by:Remaining portion of Sy.No.25/1.

ITEM NO. II: All that piece and parcel of immovable converted land of Sy. No.25, measuring to an extent of1 Acre of Attibele Village. Attibele Hobli. Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District Vide conversion order dated 01/08/2009, in Order No.ALN(A)(A)SR17/2009-10 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Distract and bounded on: East by: Sy.No.24,West by :Sy. No.25/2 and 26,North by :Sy.No.23, South by: Remaining portion of Sy.No.25/1

COMPOSITE SCHEDULE 'A' PROPERTY: All that piece and parcel of immovable converted land property bearing Sy.No.25, measuring to an extent of 3 Acre 38 Guntas of Attibele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District vide; conversion Order dated 24/10/2008, in Order No.ALN(A)(A)SR553/2008-09 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and whereas immovable converted land property of Sy.No.25, measuring to an extent of 1 Acre of Attibele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore District vide; conversion order dated 1/08/2009,in Order No ALN(A)(A) SR17/2009-10 issued by Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, which total measuring to an extent of 4 acre 38 Guntas, and bounded on: East by:Sy.No.24, West by :Sy.No.26,North by :Road and Sy.No.23,South by :Road and Remaining portion of Sy.No.25/1.

SCHEDULE 'B' PROPERTY: (Un-divided share):381 Sq.ft, undivided share, right, title and interest of land in the total land of Schedule – 'A' property referred to above.

SCHEDULE 'C' PROPERTY: Flat bearing No.079 in GROUND FLOOR constructed over the Schedule–'A' property contains 2 Bed room, Kitchen, Dinning, Toilet/s, Living room with one car parking bearing No.079 and the super built up area, measuring 1174 Sq.feet, in the apartment known as "DS-MAXSAROVAR", along with water and electricity together with common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircase and other areas for common use. The said flat standing in the name of Shri Mahesha S, S/o Shri Siddegowda, vide Sale Deed dated 29.12.2021 and Registered as Document No.BSK-1-09963/2021-22 and CD No.BSKD1206 dated 29.12.2021 at SRO, Banashankari, Bengaluru.

Place: Bengaluru, **Sd/-**
Date :05.04.2023 **Authorised Officer**

IN THE COURT OF THE 3rd ADDL. DISTRICT AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT ANEKAL

R.A. No. 5064/2020

BETWEEN: Sri Arvind B. Reddy, aged about 44 years, S/o Sri. Basappa Reddy, R/at No. 15, Gurappa Avenue, Prime Rose Road, Bengaluru-560025. ... **APPELLANT**

AND: Sri A. Krishna and others ... **RESPONDENTS**

NOTICE TO RESPONDENT No.4 (a)

Sri Amjar, aged about 36 years, S/o Late Sheik Hyder, R/at No.14, Sidde Gowda Lane, Mavalli, Bangalore-04. ... **RESPONDENT No.4(a)**

WHEREAS, the Appellant Said the present appeal against the Respondents, challenging the Judgment and Decree passed the Senior Civil Judge, at Anekal, OS. No. 673/2007 dated 12/09/2008, and the said appeal is pending before the aforesaid court.

You are hereby noticed to appear in this Court in person or by pleader duly instructed and able to answer all material questions relating to the above said appeal on the **13/06/2023** at **11:00 A.M.** to answer the claim of Appellant.

Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned above, the matter will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court on this 05/04/2023

By order of the Court, Chief Ministerial Officer, III ADDL. Dist and Sessions Judge's Court, Anekal, Bangalore Rural Dist.

Advocate for Appellant
Sri VIVEKANANDA REDDY
No. 1135, 9th Cross Road, Sarathinagar, J.P Nagar 8th Phase, Bengaluru-560108

IN THE COURT OF THE 57TH CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS COURT AT BANGALORE, MAYO HALL AT BANGALORE

O.S. No. 25082 of 2021 (CCH-58)

Between: D. Dominic Praveen S/o, Devasagayam Flat No. 307, SMR Vinay Cresent, Hennur-Bagalur Main Road, HBR 4th Block, Bangalore-560094. ... **Plaintiff**

Defendants: Josy Abraham and another

SUMMONS TO DEFENDANT No. 2

Manohar Nenavat, No.7/1, 1st Floor, 1st Cross, Opp. Munishwara Temple, B. Channasandra, Bangalore 560043.

Another Address At No. 24/1, 8th Cross, Brindavan Layout, Horamavu Bilishivale, Bangalore-560043.

NOTICE UNDER ORDER 5 RULES 20 OF CPC

Whereas, the Plaintiff filed the above suit against the Defendants for seeking relief of Permanent Injunction and declaration and consequential reliefs against the Defendants before 57th Additional city civil and sessions Judge Court hall 58.

The Defendant No. 1 was duly served. Since the 2nd Defendant, Manohar Nenavat residing in the above address, you are hereby summoned to appear in this Hon'ble Court in person or through a counsel on **22-05-2023** at 11 AM, to answer the petition, failing which the suit will be disposed off ex-parte.

SCHEDULED PROPERTY
Property leased

All that piece and parcel of the residential Apt. # 307, situated on the 3rd floor, of the building - SMR VINAY CRESENT, HENNUR-BAGALUR MAIN ROAD, HBR 4th BLOCK, BANGALORE 560043, Consisting of 2 bedrooms. hall cum dining and kitchen and balcony 1 bedroom semi furnished with wardrobe and kitchen with cupboards etc. (Hereinafter referred to as 'Scheduled Property')

Given under my hand and seal of the Court on this 16-03-2023.

By Order of the Court, Deputy Registrar, City Civil Court, Mayo Hall Unit, Bangalore.

Advocate for the Plaintiff: **IAN LEWIS**
C4, Jyothi Complex, No. 134/1, Infantry Road, Bangalore-560001.

PUBLIC NOTICE

Public are hereby informed that my client **Mr. Chandrashekhar .N.K,** aged about 45 years, S/o, N. Krishnappa, R/at No. 276, 4th Main, 4th Cross, D Group Layout, Near Water Tank, Srigandhada Kaval, Bangalore-560091. **Aadhar No. 545887384434,** intends to purchase schedule property from **Dr. T.K. CHANDRASHEKAR,** aged about 60 years, S/o. Kallaiah .T.L, No.760, 14th Main, 1st Phase, J.P. Nagar, Bangalore-560078. **Aadhar No. 745832060183,** any person/persons having any objections or claiming any right, title or interest in the said property are required to lodge the same with undersigned along with documentary evidence **within 14 days** from this date, failing which my client shall proceed with the transaction free from all encumbrances.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel of Vacant Site bearing No.**1056** carved out of Sy.No.137/1 (Tavarekere Village Panchayath Khata No. **4870/1056** PID **No.150200301700427639**) formed approved residential layout known as 'Raynal Gardens' an extent of 97 acres 26 guntas comprised in lands bearing Sy.No.136/1, 136/2, 136/3, 136/4, 136/5, 136/6, 136/7, 137/1, 137/2 & 137/3 situated at Tavarekere Village, Tavarekere Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore, **measuring East to West 18 Mtrs., and North to South 12 Mtrs., in all measuring 216 Sq., Mtrs., (2325 Sq feet)** and bounded on: **East by:** 12 Mtrs Road, **West by:** Site No. 1061 & 1062, **North by:** Site No. 1057, **South by:** Site No. 1055.

G.R. SRINIVASA, Advocate
No.728, 41st Cross, E.S.I Hospital Main Road, 3rd Block Rajajinagara, Bangalore-560010. Mobile No: 9535289666. Date: 05/04/2023

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL-I AT BANGALORE
No. 01, 4th Floor, Telephone House, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

OA No. 574/2022

City Union Bank Ltd. R.T. Nagara Branch ...APPLICANT

AND: Mr. Suhas .S and Ors ... **DEFENDANTS**

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL (PROCEDURE) RULES 1993 TO DEFENDANTS THROUGH PAPER PUBLICATION

To, **DEFENDANT No. 3: Mr. Rakesh Kiran,** S/o Murali Mohan, aged Major, R/at. No. 19/335/E, S4-3, Muneshwara Layout, Devinagar, RMV Extension II Stage, Bangalore

Whereas, the applicant Bank has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of the Debts Due to Banks and Bankruptcy Act 1993, against you for the recovery of sum of Rs. 63,93,547.44 (Sixty-Three Lakhs, Ninety Three Thousand, Five Hundred and Forty Seven Rupees and Forty Four Only) with current and future interest, cost and other reliefs.

You hereby required to show cause within 30 days from the date of publication of the summons on or before **10/05/2023** at 10:30 A.M in the forenoon in person or by a Pleader/Advocate duly instructed as to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

Take notice that in default of appearance, on the day mentioned herein above, the proceedings will be heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 03/04/2023.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-I Bangalore

JAIPUR VIDYUT VITRAN NIGAM LIMITED
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER (MM-II)
MM Building, Old Power House Premises, Near Ram Mandir, Banipark, Jaipur-302006
Tel. 0141-2202607, E-Mail id:- semm2@jvvnl.org

e-PROCUREMENT TENDER NOTICE

e-tenders are invited for purchase of 11 KV CT-PT sets of various ratios (TN-2758, UBN-VVN2223GLOB01024. All the details regarding tenders are available at web site **www.energy.rajasthan.gov.in/jvvnl, www.sppp.rajasthan.gov.in** and **www.eproc.rajasthan.gov.in**. In future, corrigendum/ extension, if any, shall be published only at above web sites.

JPR 2797 (2023) **SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER (MM-II)**
Raj.samwad/C/23/107 **For Electricity Complaints Toll Free No. 1800 180 6507**

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

(Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala - 147001)
Corporate Identity No. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
(Contact number: 0175-2207769)

Tender Inquiry No.571/DB-218 **Dated 03.04.2023**

Dy. Chief Engineer/Billing Organization (Under O/o Chief Engineer/IT), PSPCL, Room no.208, 2nd floor, 3 Storey Building, The Mall, Patiala invites E-Tender for Supply of Thermal Paper Rolls for PSPCL. For detailed NIT & tender specification please refer to **https://eproc.punjab.gov.in** from **05.04.2023, 03:00 PM onwards.**

Note: Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at https://eproc.punjab.gov.in.

192/C-130/23-4/5/2023
76155/12/1530/2023/22788

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala-147001
Corporate Identity Number. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
(Contact number - 9646123323)

Tender Inquiry No.PPR - 06/2023 **Dated: 03.04.2023**

Chief Engineer / PP&R Organization, Shed No.D-3, Shakti Vihar, PSPCL, Patiala invites E-tender under three part bid system for supply of electrical energy (RE-Non Solar) from interstate / intrastate sources viz. Generators. Traders having Valid Inter State. Trading License issued by CERC for interstate trading of energy, intrastate trading license issued by PSERC for intrastate trading of energy State Electricity Boards, State Electricity Utilities, States, IPPs & CPPs from 16th April 2023 to 31st October 2023. The link for the e-Bidding portal is **www.mstcecommerce.com** and is also available on the website of Ministry of Power (**www.Powermin.nic.in**) and PFC Consultancy Limited (**www.pfcindia.com**). For detailed NIT & tender specifications please refer to **www.mstcecommerce.com** from 03.04.2023 onwards.

Note:- Corrigendum and addendum, if any will be published online at **www.mstcecommerce.com**

198/C-134/23-4/5/2023
76155/12/1534/2023/22807

PSPCL Punjab State Power Corporation Limited

Regd. Office: PSEB Head Office, The Mall, Patiala-147001
Corporate Identity Number. : U40109PB2010SGC033813, Website : www.pspcl.in
(Contact number - 9646123323)

Tender Inquiry No.PPR - 05/2023 **Dated: 03.04.2023**

Chief Engineer / PP&R Organization, Shed No.D-3, Shakti Vihar, PSPCL, Patiala invites E-tender under three part bid system for supply of electrical energy (RE-Solar) from interstate / intrastate sources viz. Generators. Traders having Valid Inter State. Trading License issued by CERC for interstate trading of energy, intrastate trading license issued by PSERC for intrastate trading of energy, State Electricity Boards, State Electricity Utilities, States, IPPs & CPPs from 16th April 2023 to 31st October 2023. The link for the e-Bidding portal is **www.mstcecommerce.com** and is also available on the website of Ministry of Power (**www.Powermin.nic.in**) and PFC Consultancy Limited (**www.pfcindia.com**). For detailed NIT & tender specifications please refer to **www.mstcecommerce.com** from 03.04.2023 onwards.

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197/C-133/23-4/5/2023
76155/12/1533/2023/22806

Government of Odisha, e- Procurement Notice
INVITATION FOR BIDS (IFB)
Bid Identification No. C.C.E.Dkl.(R&B) 26/2022-23
Email Id-sedklpwd@gmail.com
Letter No.1084 / Dt. 31/03/2023

B-29: The Chief Construction Engineer, Dhenkanal (R&B) Circle, Dhenkanal on behalf of Governor of Odisha invites Percentage Rate bids in double cover system to be received in **ONLINE MODE** from eligible contractors for construction of Road / Bridge works as detailed below:

1.	Name of the work	:	Road / Bridge works
2.	No of works	:	04 (Four) Nos
3.	Estimated Cost	:	**Rs. 8,27,35,985/- to Rs. 3,81,30,349/- (as given in column No. 03 of table)**
4.	Cost of tender paper	:	Rs 10,000.00
5.	Class of contractor	:	**'A', & 'Special' Class (as given in column No. 07 of table)**
6.	Period of Completion of work	:	07 (Seven) to 11 (Eleven) Calendar months (as given in column No. 08 of table)
7.	Date and time of availability of bid Document in the website	:	**From Dt.11.04.2023 to 5.30 P.M. of Dt.25.04.2023**
8.	Date of opening of bid	:	Dt.26.04.2023 at 11.30 hours

The bidders have to participate in **ONLINE** biding only further details can be seen from the e-Procurement Portal: **www.tendersodisha.gov.in.** Any addendum / corrigendum / cancellation of tender can also be seen in the said website.

Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, Dhenkanal (R&B) Circle, Dhenkanal

OIPR-34132/11/0001/2324

IN THE COURT OF THE SENIOR CIVIL JUDGE AT DEVANAHALLI

O.S. No. 310/2014

BETWEEN: Mrs. Sundari Ramachandran and another ... **Plaintiffs**

AND: Mr. Munianjinappa and others ... **Defendants**

SUMMONS/NOTICE OF APPEARANCE TO 6th DEFENDANT

M/s. Metrocorp Infrastructure, Registered Partnership Firm, Office at; No. 17, Jayamhal Main Road, Bangalore-560046. Represented by its Partner Mr. Deepak Krishnappa.

Whereas the plaintiff above named has filed a suit Under Order VII rule 1 of the code of civil procedure seeking the relief of Specific Performance and Permanent Injunction against the defendants. You are the 6th Defendant in the above case you are hereby summoned to appear before in this Court in person or by a pleader on the **21-04-2023** at 11 'O' clock, to answer the same, failing which the suit will be disposed of exparte.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the residential Plot bearing No. L-10, (Plot No.115 as per BIAAPA Plan) in the layout known as "METROCORP NIRVANA", formed in Survey Nos. 94, 95, 96, 97, and 98 of Ellthore Village, Kundana Hobli, Devanahalli Taluk, Bangalore Rural District, measuring about 6063 Sq. feet and bounded on the **East by:** Plot No. L-09, **West by:** Plot No. L-11, **North by:** Road and **South by:** Pathway.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Court, on this 18-03-2023.

By order of the Court, Chief Minsiterial Officer, Senior Civil Judge & JMFC Court, Devanahalli.

Advocate for Petitioner: **B.M. Associates**
Advocate & Consultants
No.7/1, GJ Complex, 100 Feet Road, Indiranagar 1st Stage, Bangalore-560 038.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My clients by name Sri. Syed Salmaan Pasha and Sri. Anireddy Hemantha Reddy intend to buy the property of **the owner Sri. Syed Yoosuf S/o. Late. Syed Hyder,** No.101, Ground Floor, 'D' Lane Road, Cooke Town, Bangalore North, Frazer Town, Bangalore, Karnataka 560034. and at present No.17, New No. 17/82, 2nd B Cross, 7th Main, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560034, represents that he is the owner in possession of the property described in the schedule hereunder and further he represents that the said property is free from any claim, encumbrance, litigation, acquisition proceedings and prior agreement/dealings and he possesses absolute right of disposal and marketable title to enter into agreement to sell with my clients who are desirous of undertaking residential / commercial as per the agreement to be executed by him in my clients favor.

Any person having any right, interest or claim in the scheduled property or otherwise objecting to the agreement may do so in writing with documentary proof to the undersigned within 10 days of this publication failing which my clients may proceed to finalize the deal with the said owner where after no further claim will be entertain and any objection by whomsoever will be deemed to have been waived.

SCHEDULE PROPERTY

All piece and parcel of the Property Bearing No.17, New No.82, No. 17/82, 2nd B Cross, 7th Main, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore-560005, now comes under the Jakkasandra at present Koramangala Ward No. 186, measuring East to West 135' and Northern side East facing 80 feet and Western side facing 95 feet totally measuring 11,812.05 feets.

East By : Road and Koramangala Layout, West By : John Fowler Industry, North By : Property of Nilgiris now Toshiba Company, South By: Alpin Court Apartment.

Dr. K.P. Venkatesh, Advocate
No.1489, 22nd Main Road, 40th Cross Road, Opp. GNR Kalyana Mantapa, 4th T Block, Jayanagar, Bangalore - 560 041.
Mob. No: 9845306145, 9343727928 / 9160768456
Date : 06.04.2023

IN THE COURT OF THE VI ADDL. CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE AT BANGALORE

OS. No. 1739 / 2021 (CCH-11)

BETWEEN : SRI M.A. RAVEENDRA RAJU S/o M.A Subba Raju, Aged 59 years, # 107, 11th Cross, Lakshmaiah Block, Gangangar, Bangalore - 560 024. **...PLAINTIFF**

AND: ISMAIL SHARIEFF ...DEFENDANT

NOTICES / SUMMONS UNDER ORDER V RULE 20 (1-A) OF THE CODE OF CIVIL PROCEDURE, 1908 TO DEFENDANT

DEFENDANT : Mr. ISMAIL SHARIEFF, S/o Late. Mr. Jamaluddin Sharief, Aged 49 years, No. 29, New Bamboo Bazaar, Egyptian Block, Cantonment, Bangalore - 560 051.

Whereas the above named Plaintiff has filed a suit for injunction against the Defendant, in respect of the schedule mentioned below. The below mentioned schedule has held by the Plaintiff.

The Defendant is hereby called to appear in this Court in person or by pleader duly instructed on **31.05.2023 at 11.00 a.m.** inform to show cause against the plaintiff failing wherein the appearance will be heard and declared ex-parte.

SCHEDULE A PROPERTY

All that piece and parcel property bearing Survey No. 136, measuring 9.18 guntas, situated at Nagawara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, and bounded on as follows: **East by:** Remaining portion of Survey No. 136, **North by:** Remaining portion of Survey No. 136, **West by:** Thanisandra Main Road, **South by:** Periyappa and Narayanaswamy's Land.

SCHEDULE B PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel Survey No. 136, measuring 9.18 guntas, situated at Nagawara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, and bounded on as follows : **East by :** Remaining portion of Survey No. 136, **North by :** Remaining portion of Survey No. 136, **West by :** Thanisandra Main Road, **South by :** Periyappa and Narayanaswamy's Land.

SCHEDULE C PROPERTY

All the piece and parcel of Survey No. 136, measuring 9.18 guntas situated at Nagawara Village, Kasaba Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk and bounded on as follows : **East by :** Hennur Tank channel, **North by :** Remaining portion of Survey No. 136, **West by:** Remaining portion of Survey No. 136, **South by:** Periyappa and Naraayanaswamy's Land.

Given under my hand and seal of this court on 27.03.2023.

By Order of the Court, Assistant Registrar, City Civil Court, Bangalore.

Prakyath Shetty .K,
We Law, Advocates
No. 18/2, Ground Floor, 13th Cross, Vasanth Nagar, Bangalore - 560 052.

PUBLIC NOTICE

My Client **Mr. Abdul Samad,** Son of Late. Pacha Sab, Aged about 67 years, residing at No.17, Medahalli Village, Virgonagar Post, Bangalore - 560 049, Aadhaar No. 8526 9719 8270, has entered into an Agreement of Sale in respect of purchase of below mentioned Schedule Property, vide Registered Sale Agreement dated 19.01.2023 bearing No. BDH-1-07994, Book-1, CD No. BDHD 1217, registered at the Office of the Sub-Registrar, Bidarahalli, Bangalore-560049, from its owners namely (1) Sri. M. Rajendra Kumar, S/o.D.Muttukrishna, Aged about 51 years, Aadhaar No. 6539 3718 9361, and (2) Smt. Umamaheshwari .K, Wife of M.Rajendra Kumar, Aged about 47 years, Aadhaar No. 8979 2484 6792, both are residing at No. 5, Kasturi Nivasa, 1st Cross Road, Munnekolala, Marathalli Colony, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560 037. Any person/s, Bank/s, and Statutory Authorities having any right, title, claim or interest whatsoever in the Schedule Property may lodge the same with the undersigned along with all relevant documentary proof to support such claims within **10 (Ten) Days** from the date of publication of this Notice, failing which my Client will presume that there are no claimants in respect of the Schedule Property and he will proceed further for purchase and registration and execution of the Sale Deed in his name or his nominee. Thereafter no claims shall be binding on my Client in any manner whatsoever.

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of the agricultural land bearing Old Sy.No.34, new Sy.No.34/2, measuring 10 guntas (or 10890 Sq.feet) out of measuring 2 acres 35 guntas, situated at Medahalli Village, Bidarahalli Hobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Bangalore and bounded on:

East by : 30 feet Road & boundary of Hirendahalli, **West by :** Remaining land in Sy.No.34, **North by :** Sy.No.33 & Block No.2, **South by :** Remaining land in Sy.No.34.

Address: **Mohamed Shafiulla,** Advocate
No. 9MF, HMS Complex, Cubbonpet Main Road, Bangalore-560002.
Date: 05.04.2023

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

MATERIALS MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

EXPRESSION OF INTEREST FOR PURCHASING DIESEL LOCOMOTIVES

Inviting Expression of interest for purchasing Diesel Locomotives in running conditions. 16 Nos. ALCO BG mainline diesel locomotives have become surplus on Ratlam & Vatva Diesel sheds of Western Railway. These locomotives are more than 25 years old and in running conditions. The Principle Chief of Material Manager, Churchgate, and Western Railway invites **"Expression of Interest"** (EOI) from prospective purchasers for purchase of these locomotives. For any queries, please contact Deputy Chief Materials Manager/ Sales, Churchgate, Western Railway, Mumbai- 400020 on any working days (Monday- Friday) between 10.30 AM to 3.30 PM (Contact No. 091 - 90044 90762.) The response may be submitted in envelope subscribed **"EOI for Purchasing Diesel Locomotives in Running Conditions"** or (Email may also sent on dycmmsalesccg@gmail.com to the address mentioned below by latest date **04.05.2023. Address: Deputy Chief Materials Manager/ Sales, Office of PCMM, 4TH Floor, Churchgate Station Building, Churchgate, Mumbai - 400020.**

Notice No : S/SIII/ADVT/APRIL/-2023 dt. 04.04.2023.

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YASHASWINI MAHILA SOUHARDA CREDIT CO-OPERATIVE LTD

No. 107, Pipeline Road, T.Dasarahalli, Bengaluru – 560057

DEMAND NOTICE

Notice upon Section 13(2) of Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002

The below mentioned borrowers, Surety holders have taken loan from Yashaswini Mahila Souharda Credit Co-operative Ltd, with said immovable property loan facilities have been irregular and the debt has been classified as "NON-PERFORMING ASSET" (NPA). Demand Notice had been sent through RPAD to the given address, and same has not been received by the borrowers.

Therefore, the Co-operative hereby calls upon you under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI Act R/w Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules by issuing this notice to discharge in full the outstanding liabilities stated hereunder to the Co-operative within 60days from the date of this notice.

Loan A/c No. 28/78[2157]

Name of the Borrower: (1) Smt Shravanthi V P D/o Sri Prakash Babu T V, No 89, 4th Floor, 5th 'A' Cross, Jakkuru Circle, Near Anjaneya Temple, Bangalore - 560 064.

Borrower 2: Sri Prakash T V S/o T N Venkateshappa, No 89, 4th Floor, 5th 'A' Cross, Jakkuru Circle, Near Anjaneya Temple, Bangalore - 560 064.

Sureties: Smt Kannamma M W/o Sri Murugeshan K, Residing No. #1060, 4th Cross, Muneshwara Block, Pipeline Road, T.Dasarahalli, Bangalore - 560057,

Smt Rukmini B W/o Sri Babu B, Residing No. #384, 4th Main, 7th Cross, Ravindranagar, T.Dasarahalli, Bangalore - 560057.

Property Details : All Piece and Parcel of House Property Belongs to Sri T V Prakash Babu S/o Late T N Venkateshappa, Bearing Site No.203, Katha No.53, Assessment No.53, Situated at Ravindranagara Village, Mallasandra Dhakale, Yeshawanthapura Hobli, Bangalore North Taluk, Presently Comes Under the Limits of B B M P Ward No.13, Bangalore, Measuring East to West: North Side: 30-00ft, South Side: 15-00ft, North to South: 40-00ft, Totally Measuring 900sq ft, and Bounded on: East by : Property Belongs to Smt. Gangamma. West by : Remaining Same Property, North by: Property Belongs to Sri Gopal, South by: Road

Date of NPA : 11/11/2019. Outstanding Liabilities as on date : 06/01/2023

Loan Outstanding – Loan Principal – 9,79,598/-, Interest – 6,52,171/-, Penal Interest– 83,145/-, Legal & Others– 11,258/-, **Total – 17,26,172/-**

Date : 03.04.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/- Authorize Officer
Yashaswini Mahila Souharda Credit Co-operative Ltd.

PUBLIC NOTICE

This is to inform to the general public that my client Sri.A R Jayachandra Gupta, Son of Sri.Anna Rathnaiah Setty, Aged about 73 years, Residing at No.492, Flat No.308, Sixteenth Cross, Sai Mahima Residency, Ideal Homes Township, Rajarajeshwari Nagar, Bangalore – 560098, (AADHAAR:7417 6845 4515) is the full and absolute owner of the schedule property;

It is informed by my client that while taking the Photo copies of the documents at copier shop near Rajarajeshwari Nagar on 02-04-2023, he has lost the original sale deed dated 29-09-1978 and registered as document No.3901/78-79, Book I, Volume 1348, Page 64 and registered in the office of the Sub Registrar, Bangalore South Taluk and in this regard complaint dated 03-04-2023 has been lodged with online Police Complaint to Bangalore City Police Unit and obtained acknowledgement dated 03-04-2023 vide lost report No.0522277/2023, with regard to missing of the above original sale deed;

Public are warned not to enter any transaction on the basis of the above said missing original sale deed and if any transactions are entered then, the said transactions are not binding on my client and it shall be sole responsible who entered the document. If any one find the original document the same may kindly be handed over to the undersigned and he will be rewarded.

Any person/s, having any claim over the schedule property on the basis of referred missing/lost original Sale Deed dated 29-09-1978 may lodge their objections or claims, in writing with all supporting documentary evidence by registered post with regard to such claim with the undersigned within 07 (seven) days hereof, failing which my client will proceed to conclude the sale transaction. Any claims lodged thereafter will not be entertained by my client;

SCHEDULE

All that piece and parcel of Site bearing No.499 situated at Seventh Main Road, Second Phase, Girinagar, Bangalore, Ward No.162-Girinagar (old ward No.54), PID No.54-383-499, in the layout formed by the Vishwabharathi International Complex Project Layout (earlier Writers & Artists House Building Co-Operative Society Limited and bounded on the:

East by : Site bearing No.500;
West by : Site bearing No.498;
North by : Site bearing No.492;
South by : 30 feet Road;

MEASURING : East to West: 40 ft., North to South: 60 ft., In all ad-measuring 2,400 sq.ft..;

N S SATYANARAYANA GUPTA
K S NAYAK, N S RACHANA
N C JANARDHAN, Advocates
Rachana Law Associates
"Lakshmideep", I Floor, No:2980, 17th Cross, Banashankari II Stage, BANGALORE – 560 070 Ph: 9731333880
Dt: 05-04-2023

YASHASWINI MAHILA SOUHARDA CREDIT CO-OPERATIVE LTD

No. 107, Pipeline Road, T.Dasarahalli, Bengaluru – 560057

POSSESSION NOTICE: APPENDIX IV [RULE 8(1)]

POSSESSION NOTICE FOR IMMOVABLE PROPERTY MORTGAGED TO YASHASWINI MAHILA SOUHARDA CREDIT CO-OPERATIVE LTD.

Whereas The undersigned being the Authorised Officer of Yashaswini Mahila Souharda Credit Co-operative Ltd, under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002 and in exercise of the power conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued **demand notice dated 28/11/2022** calling upon the borrower mentioned herein below, to repay the amount mentioned in the notice within 60 days from the date of receipt of the said notice.

The borrower having failed to repay the amount, notice is hereby given to the borrower and the public in general that the undersigned has taken possession of the property described herein below in exercise of powers conferred on him under Sub Section (4) of Section 13 of the Act read with Rule 8 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 on this the **03rd day of April of the year 2023.**

The borrower and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the property and any dealings with the property will be subject to the charge of YASHASWINI MAHILA SOUHARDA CREDIT CO-OPERATIVE LTD, for an amount mentioned below and interest thereon.

You are further requested to note that as per Section 13(13) of The SARFAESI ACT, 2002 you are RESTRAINED/PROHIBITED from disposing of or dealing with the Secured Asset, without prior written consent of YASHASWINI MAHILA SOUHARDA CREDIT CO-OPERATIVE LTD.,

The borrower's attention is invited to provisions of Sub-section (8) of Section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available, to redeem the secured assets.

DETAILS OF THE LOAN ACCOUNT

Name of the Borrower: **Smt.Geetha H A and Sri. Anand H R**, Date of Demand Notice Under Section 13(2) of the SARFAESI Act 2002: **28/11/2022, Amount in Demand Notice: 30,43,916/- (Rupees Thirty - Lakhs Forty Three Thousand - Nine Hundred and Sixteen Only)** further interest thereon with effect from 29/11/2022 at the contractual rates on the aforesaid amount, incidental Expenses, Costs, Charges, ETC. Incurred and accruing thereon on daily basis.

DESCRIPTION OF THE IMMOVABLE PROPERTY

All piece and parcel of Vacant site Property belonging to **Smt Geetha H A** W/o Sri Anand H R, bearing Site No.86, formed out of Survey No.76/1,77,78/2,79 and 80 of Kambipura Village, Kengeri Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, which is duly converted from Agricultural residential Purpose to Non-Agricultural Purpose, vide conversion order No.ALN(S)SR(K/48/2012-13 dated: 10.01.2013. issued by the Special Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District and the layout is approved by the Bangalore Development Authority (BDA) Vide No.BDA/TPM/PRL-16/2013-14/6878/2013-14, dated :20.03.2014 measuring **East to West:** Northern Side 21.01ft, Southern Side 43.65ft, **North to South:** Eastern Side 37.42ft, Western Side 30.00ft, totally measuring 1090sq ft and **bounded on:** East by : Road, West by : Site No.85, North by : Site No.87, South by : Road.

Date : 03.04.2023
Place: Bengaluru

Sd/-
Authorised Officer
Yashaswini Mahila Souharda Credit Co-operative Ltd.

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श्रीहरिकोटा, आं.प्र. / SRIHARIKOTA - 524124

संक्षिप्त ई–निविदा सूचना / Brief E-TENDER NOTICE

ई–निविदा सूचना सं./e-Tender Notice No: SHAR/CMD/E/A 2387201/2023-24 & SHAR/CMD/E/B 2387202/2023-24

तिथि/ Date. 28.03.2023

भारत के राष्ट्रपति की ओर से, 1. **"पुलीकट नगर कालोनी, सुल्लुरूपेटा में डी2 प्रकार के क्वार्टरों के लिए विद्युतकार्य"** (अनुमानित लागतः ₹165.06 लाख) 2. **"स्वर्णमुखी नगर एवं पुलीकट नगर कालोनी, सुल्लुरूपेटा में ई/ई7 प्रकार के क्वार्टरों के लिए विद्युतकार्य"** (अनुमानित लागतः ₹108.97 लाख) के लिए ई–निविदा के माध्यम से मद दर निविदाएं आमंत्रित की जाती हैं। निविदा दस्तावेज **20.04.2023** को **14:30** बजे तक डाउनलोड किए जा सकते हैं। विस्तृत सूचना हेतु इच्छुक निविदाकार हमारी वेबसाइट **www.isro.gov.in** या **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO** पर जा सकते हैं।

On behalf of President of India, Item Rate tenders are invited through e-tendering for 1.**"Electrical works for D2 type quarters in PCN colony, Sullurupeta"**. (Estimated cost: ₹165.06 Lakhs). 2. **"Electrical works for E/E7 type quarters in SMN & PCN colony, Sullurupeta"**. (Estimated cost: ₹108.97 Lakhs). Tender documents can be downloaded up to **20.04.2023, 14:30 hrs**. Interested tenderers may visit **www.isro.gov.in** or **www.tenderwizard.com/ISRO** for details.

हस्ताक्षरित- समूह प्रधान, सीएमजी / एसडीएससी शार / Sd/- GROUP HEAD, CMG / SDSC SHAR

The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited

No.6, Hospital Road, Bengaluru -560 053.
Telefax: 2225 3389, 2226 8535. 26661253, E-Mail: info@mscmbank.in

DEMAND NOTICE

Under Section 13(2) of the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act 2002 (SARFAESI Act) read with Rule 3(1) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 (Rules)

Whereas the undersigned being the Authorised Officer of **The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited** under SARFAESI Act and in exercise of powers conferred under Section 13(12) read with Rule 3, issued Demand Notice under Section 13(2) of the said Act, calling upon the Borrowers / guarantors listed hereunder (hereinafter referred to as the "said Borrowers"), to repay the amounts mentioned in the Notice, within 60 days from the date of receipt of Notice, as per details given below.

The said Notices have been returned undelivered by the postal authorities / have not been duly acknowledged by the borrowers. Hence the Company by way of abundant caution is effecting this publication of the demand notice (as per the provisions of Rule 3 (1)). The undersigned has, therefore, caused these Notices to be pasted on the premises of the last known addresses of the said Borrowers, as per the said Act.

As security for due repayment of the loan, the following assets have been mortgaged to the Company by the respective parties as detailed below.

Name of Borrowers/ Guarantors with address	Amount claimed as per Demand Notice *	Description of the property	Date of NPA
1) Sri.Narayanappa.J @ Narayana.J S/o Late. Jayaramaiah, (DECEASED) and **2) Sri.Tejaswi.N,** S/o Late.Narayanappa.J, (CO-OBLIGANT) **3) Smt. Nirmala,** W/o late Sri J. Narayanappa **4) Smt. Suchitra,** D/o late Sri J. Narayanappa **All are residing at:** No.17/1, New No.6, "Suchitra Nilaya", 9th Main, Netaji Road, Bendre Nagar, R.K.Layout, Bengaluru-560070.	**Rs.60,30,321.00 (Rupees Sixty Lakhs Thirty Thousand Three Hundred Twenty One Only) + interest and other charges from 03.03.2023.**	All that piece and parcel of Immovable property bearing old No.17/1, New No.6, PID No.55-717-6, situate at Kadirenahalli Village, Now called as Subhas Chandrabose Road, Bendre Nagar, Padmanabha Nagara, now coming under Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike jurisdiction, Bangalore, measuring East to West 57.25+51/2 Feet and North to South 30 Feet in all ad measuring 1623.75 Square Feet along with dwelling unit constructed thereon consisting of Ground, First and Second Floors together with the structures standing thereon and bounded on the: East By : Road; West By : Juice Factory Land; North By : Remaining Portion of the Land belongs to Vendor; South By : Smt.Jayamma's Property; **Belongs to: Sri.Narayanappa.J @ Narayana.J S/o Late. Jayaramaiah, (DECEASED)**	**02.11.2022**

** Payable with further interest at contractual rates as agreed from the date mentioned above till date of payment.*

You are hereby called upon to pay the above said amount with contracted rate of interest thereon within 60 days from the date of publication of this notice, failing which the undersigned will be constrained to Initiate action under SARFAESI Act to enforce the aforesaid security. Further, the attention of borrowers / guarantors is invited to provisions of Section 13 (8) of the Act, in respect of time available to them to redeem the secured asset

Date : 05.04.2023
Place : Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised officer,
The Mysore Silk Cloth Merchants' Co-operative Bank Limited

AXIS BANK

Plot No. 41, Seshadri Road, Anand Rao Circle, Bangalore-560009

DEMAND NOTICE

A notice is hereby given that the following borrowers have defaulted in the repayment of principal and interest of credit facilities obtained by them from the bank and said facilities have turned in to Non-performing Assets. The notices were issued to them under section 13 (2) of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002 on their last known addresses, however the same have returned un-served and as such they are hereby informed by way of public notice about the same.

Sl. No.	Name & Address of the Borrower	Property Address on Which Loan Availed	Notice Date	Bal. O/S (Claimed) in Rs.
1	**Mr. Anil Kumar Sinha** S/o Marendra Kumar Sinha, 52, Royal Square Apartments, Lawsons Road, Cantonment, Trichy 620001. **Also At:** Mr. Anil Kumar Sinha, S/o Marendra Kumar Sinha, # No 97, Charles Campbell Road, Cox Town, Bangalore 560005. **Also At:** Mr. Anil Kumar Sinha, Neo Sports Broadcasts Pvt Ltd, 711 & 712 7th Floor, Mittal Towers, B Wing, M G Road, Bangalore 560001. **(Borrower/Mortgager)** **Mrs. Premalatha Sinha** D/o Anil Kumar Sinha, 52, Royal Square Apartments, Lawsons Road, Cantonment, Trichy 620001 **(Co Applicant)**	All that Piece and Parcel of the Flat no 703, 7th Floor, F1 Block, Welworthy city Sy nos 30,31,32,33,34 Kadathanamale village Hesarghatta Hobli Bangalore North Taluk Bangalore measuring 1180 sq ft and bounded as follows : East By – Land in Sy 160, Doddaballapura Road, Land in Sy nos 162,163,164,40 & 41, West By – Land in Sy no 41,29,30/7 (P),31/4(P), 31/3(P),31/2(P), 34/2(P),24/1(P), North By – Land in Sy no 37,38,160, South By – Land in Sy no 41 & 29 **For Further clarification please contact : Mr Thrimoorthy - 9036773553**	**24.02.2023 NPA Date 08.10.2022**	**Loan No. PHR000901254870 Power Home Rs 22,39,793 /- Loan No. PHR013700880219 Power Home Rs 2,24,361 /- Loan No. HTR056103858498 Power Home Vanilla BRE Rs 5,08,510 /- TOTAL Rs.29,72,664 /- as on 16.02.2023**
2	**Mr. Kiran R** S/o P S Renukappa No 60/4, 5th Main, 7th Block, 4th Phase, BSK Third Stage, Bangalore 560085. **Also At :** Mr. Kiran R, S/o P S Renukappa, Computer Science Co operate India Pvt Ltd, Awgette Embessy, Gulf Line Business Park, Sy no 811,814, Bangalore 560071. **(Borrower/Mortgager)** **Mr. Sharath Vasan** S/o Srinivasan Rama Iyer, No 60/4, 5th Main, 7th Block, 4th Phase, BSK 3rd Stage, Bangalore 560085 **(Co Applicant)**	All that Piece and Parcel of the Site no 308, Plot no 308, Mahaveer Platium, Giddanahalli village, Mahanthilingapura village, Bangalore measuring 1200 sq ft Bounded as follows : East By – Plot No 319, West By – Road, North By – Plot No 307, South By – Plot No 309. **For Further clarification please contact : Mr Thrimoorthy - 9036773553**	**24.02.2023 NPA Date 03.10.2022**	**Loan No. PHR000901576135 Power Home Rs 10,39,000 /- as on 24.02.2023**
3	**Mr. Raghunandana Narasappa** S/o Narasappa, 42/174, 1st Main, Basavanagar Main Road, Veerabhadra Nagara, Bangalore 560037. **Also At:** Mr. Raghunandan Narasappa S/o Narasappa, Thought Works Technologies India Pvt Ltd, A C R Mansions, 147/F, 2nd Floor, 8th Main Road, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bangalore 560034. **(Borrower/Mortgager)** **Mrs. Apoorva** W/o Raghunandana, 42/174, 1st Main, Basavanagar Main Road, Veerabhadra Nagara, Bangalore 560037. **Also At:** Mrs. Apoorva W/o Raghunandana, No 72, ITI Layout, New BEL Road, Bangalore 560034. **(Co Applicant)**	All that Piece and Parcel of the Site no MIG 18 Corner Site No. MIG 18 Karnataka Housing Board, Kengeri Bandamata, Bangalore Measuring 1727 sq ft and Bounded as follows : East By – Corner Site No 01 MIG, West By – Road, North By – Road, South By – Corner Site No 17 MIG 7 **For Further clarification please contact : Mr Thrimoorthy - 9036773553**	**28.02.2023 NPA Date 08.01.2023**	**Loan No. PHR000901817673 Power Home Rs 23,86,465 /- as on 28.02.2023**
4	**Mr. Sachith Sagar** S/o Mahabalagiri, No 62, Aashirwad Vilas, 4th Street, 1st Block, Near Maruthi Vidyalaya, Bangalore 560043. **Also At :** Mr. Sachith Sagar D/o Mahabalagiri, Payroll Analyst, Visa Consolidated Services Pvt. Ltd, Level 4, Aquamarine Building, Bagman World, Technology Centre, Mahadevapura, Bangalore 560048. **(Borrower/Mortgager)** **Mrs. Rashmi** W/o Sachith Sagar, No 62, Aashirwad Vilas, 4th Street, 1st Block, Near Maruthi Vidyalaya, Bangalore 560043. **Also At :** Mrs. Rashmi, W/o Sachith Sagar, No 422, 9th A Main, 1st Block, Kalyannagar, Bangalore 560043 **(Co Applicant).**	All that Piece and Parcel of the Flat No 305 3rd Floor D Block Sepani Royal Heritage Attibele Hobli Bangalore and Bounded as follows : East By – Entrance Door, West By – Open To Sky, North By – No D 306, South By – Open To Sky. **For Further clarification please contact : Mr Thrimoorthy - 9036773553**	**01.03.2023 NPA Date 03.11.2022**	**Loan No. PHR056103791156 Power Home Vanilla BRE Rs 48,39,127 /- as on 01.03.2023**
5	**Mrs. Swathi S** D/o Sundar Murthy, No 39, Samruddhi Nilaya, 2nd Cross, Venkappa Layout, Amruthahalli, Near Bus stop, Bangalore 560092. **Also At:** Mrs. Swathi S D/o Sundar Murthy, No 202, 1st Cross, Sneha Nagar, Near Bus Stop, Amruthahalli, Bangalore 560092. **Also At :** Mrs. Swathi S D/o Sundar Murthy, Axis Bank Ltd, No 689, 3rd Cross, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore 560064. **(Borrower/Mortgager)** **Mr. Muniyappa** S/o Nyathappa Muniyappa No 39, Samruddhi Nilaya, 2nd Cross Venkappa Layout, Amruthahalli Near Bus stop Bangalore 560092. **Also At:** Mr. Muniyappa S/o Nyathappa Muniyappa No 202, 1st Cross, Sneha Nagar Near Bus Stop, Amruthahalli Bangalore 560092 **(Co Applicant)**	All that Piece and Parcel of the Immovable residential property bearing vacant plot no 405, khata no 405/138/405 PID No 152900401701120305 measuring East to West 12.00 mtrs and North to South 9.00 mtrs and Totally measuring 108.00 sq mtrs which is carved out of residentially converted survey no 108/1, 110/5, 108/11, in the schedule property approved by BMRDA layout known as " MAGNOLIA VALLEY WOODS" Situated at kenchanakuppe village, Bidadi hobli Ramanagaram Taluk and Dist and Bounded as follows : East By – Road, West By – Plot No 407, North By – Plot No 404, South By – Plot No 406. **For Further clarification please contact : Mr Thrimoorthy - 9036773553**	**03.03.2023 NPA Date 30.01.2023**	**Loan No. PHR056101633471 Power Home Rs 9,90,530 /- as on 28.02.2023**

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrowers and / or the guarantors (where ever applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding dues as mentioned above along with future interest and applicable charges within 60 days from the date of the publication of this notice failing which further steps will be taken after the expiry of 60 days of the date of this notice as per the provision of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act. 2002. Please note that under Section 13(13) of the said Act, no Borrower shall, after Receipt of Notice referred to in Sub-section (2), transfer by way of sale, lease or otherwise any of his secured assets referred to in the notice, without prior written consent of the secured creditor.

The Borrower's attention is invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of sections 13 of the Act. The borrowers may redeem the secured assets by paying the dues of the secured creditor together with all costs, charges and expenses incurred at any time before the date of publication of notice for public auction or inviting quotations or tender from public or private treaty for transfer by way of lease, assignment or sale of the secured assets.

Place : Bangalore
Date : 05.04.2023

Sd/- Authorised Officer
Axis Bank Ltd.

BEFORE THE DEBTS RECOVERY TRIBUNAL AT BANGALORE (DRT-1)
4th Floor, Telephone House Building, Rajbhavan Road, Bengaluru-560 001.

OA No. 415/2022

BETWEEN :STATE BANK OF INDIA, SME Centre, Banasawadi, Bangalore ... **APPLICANT**

AND: M/s. M.G PRECISIONS & TOOLS and others ... **DEFENDANTS**

To, **DEFENDANTS: 1) M/s. M.G PRECISIONS & TOOLS**, No.6/124-14, 6th Cross, 6th Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560010. Represented by its Partners a) Sri. Manjunatha .M, b) Smt. Pavithra .R

2) Sri MANJUNATHA .M, aged about 41 years, S/o Munirajanna, R/at No. 120, Lakshmi Sagar Layout, 3rd Main, Whitefield Road, Mahadevapura, Bangalore-560048

3) Smt. PAVITHRA .R, aged about 34 years, W/o Manjunatha .M, R/at No. 120, Lakshmi Sagar Layout, 3rd Main, Whitefield Road, Mahadevapura, Bangalore-560048.

SUMMONS ISSUED UNDER RULE 23 (VIII) OF DRT (PROCEDURE)RULE 1996 BY WAY OF PAPER PUBLICATION

1) WHEREAS, the Applicant has instituted an application under Section 19 of the Recovery of Debts due to Banks and Financial Institutions Act, 1993 against the Defendant for recovery of Rs. 22,75,172/- (Rupees twenty two lakh seventy five thousand one hundred and seventy two only) inclusive of interest till 23/11/2021 along with future interest from 24/11/2021 to, till the date of realization of entire claim amount along with cost of this proceedings in respect of Cash Credit facility and CCECL Loan facility and for the reliefs.

2) You are hereby required to show cause within 30 days of the service of the summons or on **06/06/2023** at 10:30 A.M in the forenoon in person or pleader/advocate duly instructed has to why the relief prayed for should not be granted.

3) Take notice that, in default of your appearance on the day mentioned herein before, the proceedings will heard and determined in your absence.

Given under my hand and the seal of this Tribunal on this 18/03/2023.

By order of the Tribunal, Registrar, Debts Recovery Tribunal-I Bangalore.

HOUSING DEVELOPMENT FINANCE CORPORATION LTD. CIN L70100MH1977PLC019916

Regd. Office: Ramon House, H T Parekh Marg, 169, Backbay Reclamation, Churchgate, Mumbai- 400020
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SYMBOLIC POSSESSION NOTICE

Whereas the Authorised Officer of Housing Development Finance Corporation Limited, under Securitisation And Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest 2002 and in exercise of powers conferred under Section13 (12) read with Rule 3 of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules, 2002 issued Demand Notice under Section 13 (2) of the said Act, calling upon the following borrower(s) / Legal Heir(s) and Legal Representative(s) to pay the amounts mentioned against their respective names together with interest thereon at the applicable rates as mentioned in the said notices, within 60 days from the date of the said Notice/s, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc till the date of payment and / or realisation.

Sr. No.	Name of Borrower (s) / Legal Heir(s) and Legal Representative(s)	Outstanding Dues	Date of Demand Notice	Date of Possession	Description of The Property
1	**Mrs. Suchithra Wife of Mr. Rajshekar M (Borrower) [since deceased], And Other Known and Unknown Legal Heir(s) of Mr. Rajshekar M (Borrower) [since deceased],**	**Loan Account No. 641447531 Rs.50,67,275/- Loan Account No. 643066015 Rs.2,55,272/- Totally Amount Rs.53,22,547/- (Rupees Fifty Three Lakhs Twenty Two Thousand Five Hundred and Forty Seven Only) due as on 30.11.2021**	**28.12.2021**	**05.04.2023 (Symbolic)**	**Schedule-A:** All that piece and parcel of immovable property being a residential plot bearing Municipal No.26, PID No. 1-77-26, situated in Peenya Plantations 'B', Bangalore North Taluk, HMT Factory Main Road, Bangalore and presently within the jurisdiction of Bruhat Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No. 1, ad-measuring 77,309 Sq. Feet and bounded on the: East by : HMT 'D' Type Qtrs and Income Tax Plot, West by : HMT Road, North by : HMT Road, South by : HMT Road and Community Hall. **Schedule-B:** Undivided share, right, title, interest and ownership in the land in Schedule "A" Property of 290 sq. ft. Assigned to the schedule 'B' Flat No. A-1203 'A' Block, Twelfth Floor and 1152 sq. ft. of share in the land in Schedule 'A' Property. **Schedule-C:** All that Residential Apartment bearing schedule 'B' Flat No. A-1203 'A' Block, Twelfth Floor of the building known as "ALOHA" and 1152 sq. ft. and assigned to the schedule 'B' of super built up area (including common area) together with 1 car parking number situated in the car parking of the Schedule 'A' of Super built up area and proportionate share in common areas such as passages, lobbies, lifts, staircases and other areas of common use together with right to use One Covered Car Parking Space.

*with further interest as applicable, incidental expenses, costs, charges etc incurred till the date of payment and / or realisation.

However, since the borrower mentioned hereinabove have failed to repay the amounts due, notice is hereby given to the borrower mentioned hereinabove in particular and to the public in general that the Authorised Officer/s of **HDFC** have taken **Symbolic possession** of the immovable property (ies) / secured asset(s) described herein above in exercise of powers conferred on him/them under Section 13 (4) of the said Act read with Rule 8 of the said Rules on the dates mentioned above.

The borrower mentioned hereinabove in particular and the public in general are hereby cautioned not to deal with the aforesaid Immovable Property(ies) / Secured Asset(s) and any dealings with the said Immovable Property (ies) / Secured Asset(s) will be subject to the mortgage of **Housing Development Finance Corporation Ltd.**

Borrower(s) attention is/are invited to the provisions of sub-section (8) of section 13 of the Act, in respect of time available to redeem the secured asset/s.

Copies of the Pnachanma drawn and Inventory madeare available with the undersigned, and the said Borrower is requested to collect the respective copy from the undersigned on any working day during normal office hours.

Date: 05.04.2023
Place: Bangalore

Sd/-Authorised Officer
HDFC Ltd. under SARFAESI Act, 2002

RBL BANK LTD

Registered Office: 1st Lane, Shahupuri, Kolhapur-416001.
Branch Office: Prestige Tower, 99 & 100, Residency Road, Bangalore, Karnataka-560025

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE (UNDER SARFAESI ACT, 2002)

E-AUCTION SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE ASSET CHARGED TO THE BANK UNDER THE SECURITISATION AND RECONSTRUCTION OF FINANCIAL ASSETS ANDENFORCEMENTOFSECURITYINTERESTACT,2002("SARFAESI ACT")READ WITHRULE8(6) OFTHESECURITYINTEREST (ENFORCEMENT)RULES,2002("RULES")

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower, Guarantor(s) and Mortgagor(s) that the below described immovable properties mortgaged/charged (collectively referred as "Property") to **RBL Bank Ltd.** ("Secured Creditor/Bank"), the physical possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank under Section 13(4) & Section 14 of the SARFAESI Act read with the Rules, as detailed hereunder, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", "Whatever there is" and "Without Recourse Basis" on 08.05.2023,** for recovery of the Bank's outstanding dues plus interest as detailed hereunder under Rules 8 and 9 of the Rules by inviting bids as per below e-auction schedule:

Brief Description of Parties, Outstanding dues and Properties

Sl. No.	Name of the Borrower & Guarantor(s)	Details of Property	Amount as per Demand Notice / Date of Demand & Possession Notice under SARFAESI Act	Inspection Date and Time	Reserve Price / EMD / Bid Increase Amount	Date/ Time of e-Auction	Last Datefor Receipt of Bids along with documents	Name of Authorised Officer/ Phone No./ E-mail Id
1.	**1. M/S. NGR GENERAL STORE 2. MRS. S VARALAKSHMI** (Co-Borrower, Guarantor & Mortgagor, Legal Heir of Deceased Mr. Shiva Kumar R) **3. MR. PAVAN KUMAR S** (Co-Borrower & Legal Heir of Deceased Mr. Shiva Kumar R) **4. MR. PRAVEEN KUMAR S** (Co-Borrower & Legal Heir of Deceased Mr. Shiva Kumar R)	**ITEM NO:1:** All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site No. 45, Khatha No. 8743(Old Khatha No. 5145) measuring 45x(47+37/2)ft, totally measuring 1890 sq.ft and Site No. 46, Khatha No. 8744(Old No. 5146), measuring 32x(37+34/2)ft, totally measuring 1136sq.ft, both measuring together 3026sq.ft, Situated at: Gunagalu road east side, S.S.M Layout, Sir. M. Vishveshvariah Layout, Hoskote Town, Bengaluru Rural District and **bounded on the: East by:** Private Property, **West by:** Road, **North by:** Road, **South by:** Property belongs to R Shivakumar. Property is owned by Smt. S Varalakshmi.	**Rs.2,63,61,749.82 (Rupees Two Crore Sixty Three Lakh Sixty One Thousand Seven Hundred Forty Nine And Eighty Two Paisa Only) as on 23rd December 2021 Demand notice dated: 23.12.2021. Date of Possession: 24.01.2023. Date of Symbolic Possession: 09.03.2022**	**06.05.2023 between 11:00 p.m. to 2:30 p.m.**	**ITEM NO:1 Rs.2,18,38,000/- (Rupees Two Crores Eighteen Lakhs and Thirty Eight Thousand Only) EMD: Rs.21,83,800/- (Rupees Twenty One Lakhs Eighty Three Thousand and Eight Hundred Only) Increase amount: Rs.50,000.00 (Rupees Fifty Thousand Only)**	**08.05.2023 11:30 A.M To 12:30 P.M** With unlimited extensions of 5 min. Each	**On or Before 06.05.2023 upto 5:00 P.M.**	**MR. GUNASEELAN A/ 9600144498/ gunaseelan.a @rblbank.com**

TERMS AND CONDITIONS: (1) The E-Auction Sale will be online through e-auction portal. The interested bidders are advised to go through the detailed terms and conditions of auction available on the website of **https://www.bankeauctions.com & https://www.rblbank.com/pdf-pages/news** before submitting their bids and taking part in e-auction. **(2)** It shall be the responsibility of the bidders to inspect and satisfy themselves about the Property and specification before submitting the bid. **(3)** The interested bidders shall submit their EMD details and documents through Web Portal: **https://www.bankeauctions.com** (the user ID & Password can be obtained free of cost by registering name with **https://www.bankeauctions.com**) through Login ID & Password. The EMD shall be payable through Demand Draft, issued by a Scheduled commercial Bank favouring **"Authorised Officer, RBL Bank Ltd", before 5:00 PM on or before 06.05.2023. (4)** Interested bidders may avail support/ online training on E-Auction from **M/s. C1 India Pvt Ltd Contact No: 7291981124/25/26. Contact Person Mr. Vinod Chauhan Mob No: 981388793, e-mail-Id: delhi@c1india.com** and for any query in relation to Property, they may contact **Mr. GUNASEELAN A, Authorised Officer (Mob. No. 9600144498, email: gunaseelan.a@rblbank.com). (5)** The Authorised Officer of the Bank reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids, & / or to postpone/cancel the auction at any time without assigning any reason whatsoever and his decision in this regard shall be final and binding.

STATUTORY 30 DAYS SALE NOTICE UNDER THE SARFAESI ACT

The Borrower, Guarantor(s) and Mortgagor(s) are hereby notified to pay the aforementioned sum along with further interest thereon plus penal and other interest and amounts as per the Transaction Documents before the date of E-Auction failing which, the Property will be auctioned/ sold to recover the outstanding dues.

Date: 06-04-2023, Place: Bangalore

Sd/- Authorised Officer, RBL Bank Ltd.

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EDITORIAL

"The excellency of every art is its intensity, capable of making all disagreeable evaporate" — John Keats

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LYNCH FRINGE CAN MAR NOT JUST ELECTIONS BUT K'TAKA FABRIC TOO

Communal politics hit a new low in Karnataka with the death of a cattle trader allegedly lynched by a fringe mob. It is a spine-chilling reminder of similar incidents in Uttar Pradesh and Rajasthan, unheard of in the South. Two anomalies marked this crime—that it happened in Karnataka, known for peace and harmony, and was executed in Sathanur, the stronghold of Congress leader D K Shivakumar. The body of Idrees Pasha, the assistant driver of the cattle van, was found close to Sathanur police station. The cattle traders were moving from Mandya to Tamil Nadu via Kanakapura, a belt not known for the extreme communalism that marks coastal Karnataka. Main accused, Puneeth Kerehalli, who heads a right-wing group Rashtra Rakshana Pade, is booked for murder.

The lynching gave the Opposition a solid issue to flay the ruling party, which was met with silence from Chief Minister Basavaraj Bommai and his ministers. The lack of unqualified condemnation encourages criminals like Kerehalli, a self-styled cow vigilante who used to campaign to boycott Muslim businesses, big and small. That he had demanded ₹2 lakh from the cattle traders and even shot a Facebook Live video while on the run indicates his brazen confidence that he can get away with the crime. The Congress is now going to town with photographs of Kerehalli posing with BJP leaders, but that would not help save Karnataka.

There is anticipation that as the state heads into elections, communal flareups, moral policing and hate speeches to polarise voters could be reported. And such a heinous crime hints at the desperation of the fringe elements. Opinion polls have indicated that the BJP has a tough fight ahead this summer, and whether such vigilantism will impact the voting trend will be apparent only next month. The party's three-year reign was marked by a string of communal incidents and allegations of corruption, and there is barely any noteworthy development it can seek its votes for. In such a fraught situation, the BJP government should uphold the law and not spare the culprits lest the incident is exploited to polarise the voters in the coming elections. Such communalism must be met with pushback by right-minded citizens, though it is also known that extremism only begets more extremism. Besides giving Karnataka a bad name, these incidents destroy the social fabric in the long run.

KERALA TRAIN VIOLENCE: BEEF UP SECURITY NOW

The shocking incident of an unidentified man entering the Alappuzha-Kannur Executive Express train and spraying inflammable liquid on passengers, leaving three, who tried to escape the fire by jumping off the train, dead, highlights the need for a better security system in our passenger trains. The Maharashtra Anti-Terrorism Squad (ATS), in coordination with central intelligence agencies and the Kerala police, detained a man in connection with the case from Ratnagiri late Tuesday, within two days of the incident. The NIA has also joined the probe, but the motive is yet unknown.

Railways Minister Ashwini Vaishnaw and Chief Minister Pinarayi Vijayan were quick to congratulate the investigating agencies, including the RPF, NIA, and the Kerala police, for apprehending the person swiftly. While they should be commended for the speed with which they nabbed the suspect, the incident again exposed the lax rail security. One can easily assume that the authorities have not taken seriously the 2006 Mumbai train bombings that killed 209 people and injured more than 700 people. There have been several security lapses on passenger trains in Kerala, and women were the victims in most cases. In February 2011, Soumya, a 23-year-old woman, was raped and murdered on a passenger train from Ernakulam to Shornur. A woman teacher had died after jumping from a Nagercoil-Kottayam passenger train after a suspicious-looking man entered the ladies' coach last June.

Rail passenger associations have been complaining about the indifferent attitude of the Railways in upgrading the security systems inside trains and at stations for quite some time. Most CCTV cameras at stations do not function, and there is a need to install scanners at the stations. It is not that the government did not devise plans to ensure security in railway stations. As per a plan announced in 2019, the security systems at our railway stations were to be upgraded on par with the airports. Initially, about 200 stations were to implement this plan, including closing entry points about 15–20 minutes before the train departure. But there has yet to be a forward movement after the announcement. Now that another unfortunate incident has happened inside a train, the Railways should increase the security of the trains and stations without wasting time. The passengers' protection and safety are certainly the Railways' responsibility and must be its topmost priority. Everything else is secondary.

QUICK TAKE

BURDEN OF ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Italy bans ChatGPT, the first government to block an AI tool over privacy concerns. Germany wants to follow suit. But India plans to use it to develop an educational tool for helping students with homework in any language. ChatGPT has several limitations. But that's no reason to block new technology. Massive data theft was happening even before AI came in. It is a matter of having guard rails for safe use. A future worry, as top scientists sought a pause in developing it last week, is really about AI creating a digital mind of its own that its creators cannot control.

In the last few years, the drugs problem has acquired another dimension. From just being a transit route, a new culture of illegal poppy cultivation has arrived in the hills

EXPANDED GOLDEN TRIANGLE MANIPUR'S NEW NIGHTMARE

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The Manipur government's anti-drugs campaign, grandiosely named "War on Drugs", is almost as old as the BJP's six years in power there under Chief Minister Biren Singh. On March 21, the government completed a year in its second term, yet six years down the line, the way ahead on this battlefront does not seem any shorter, or the challenges any smaller.

Manipur has had a drugs problem for decades, thanks to an ancient trade route that connects it to Southeast Asia and therefore to the infamous Golden Triangle not too far away from its eastern border. In geographical terms, this is a tri-junction where the Mekong River, at a confluence point, splits the landmasses of three nations—Myanmar, Thailand and Laos. Beginning in the 1970s, this had become the focal point of an international network of illegal opium and heroin trade.

Shelby Tucker has a good account on how this came to be so in his book *Burma: The Curse of Independence*. It is intriguing how this predicament was a fallout of geopolitics of the time—more specifically the Cold War between the Capitalist West and Communist East blocs. The latter bloc was then gaining influence in East and Southeast Asia, prompting the US-led West to attempt halting this march by opening a Cold War front in northern Myanmar's Shan State.

At the end of WWII, even as China's struggle against imperial Japan ended, a bitter internal power struggle began between Mao Zedong's communist Red Army and Chiang Kai-shek's Chinese Nationalist Party (Kuomintang). The Kuomintang soon retreated and two divisions of their army ended up taking refuge in Myanmar's northern Shan State in 1950.

According to Tucker, as the Kuomintang troops in Myanmar, assisted by the US, waited for an opportunity to regain China, they turned to streamlining poppy cultivation and refining practices already prevalent. Myanmar ultimately complained to the United Nations, and international pressures, coupled with the growing realisation that China could not be retaken, led the US to pressure Taiwan to evacuate the Kuomintang from Myanmar. The infrastructures for drugs they left behind were taken over by local warlords, the most infamous being Khun Sa. Thus was born the notorious Golden Triangle.

The final blow to the Kuomintang fightback against communist China came no sooner. Tucker notes that as the US itself began facing trouble in Vietnam towards 1970—when a rift appeared between the then USSR and China—it jumped to grab the opportunity and began sending out friendship overtures to Mao's China. After Secretary of State Henry Kissinger visited China in 1971, President Richard Nixon also did so the following year.

Manipur has always been a natural and major transit route for the Golden Triangle drugs. Since the late 1970s, the state has had more than its fair share of drug addiction problems and related scourges such as HIV/AIDS infection, spread mainly from needle-sharing among heroin addicts. The problem became compounded by high levels of youth frustration, leading them to choose political radicalisation and take the path of insurgency, or fall to the lure of drugs and alcohol. A state with a population of less than 3 million—by 2015 had 24,457 people living with HIV/AIDS, according to an estimate by the National Aids Control Programme. While the spread of HIV/AIDS is somewhat under control now, the drugs problem is not.

In the last few years, the problem has acquired another dimension. From just being a transit route and suffering its collateral damages, today a new culture of illegal poppy cultivation has arrived in a big way in its hills—Manipur is therefore poised to also become a source and not just a route of this international drug trafficking network. The administrative lull because of extended nationwide Covid lockdowns starting March 2020, and equally Myanmar plunging back into chaos and lawlessness since the February 1, 2021 military coup, are probably additional factors accelerating Manipur's own descent into the darkness of this netherworld.

This new poppy cultivation culture is now getting progressively more complicated. The challenge is hence no longer just about narcotics control, but also extensive and severe deforestation of hillsides, intensive use of pesticides, weedicides and fertilisers contaminating springs and streams, and ultimately rivers and lakes. Another issue is the faceoffs between forest administrators and villagers who are found to have encroached into previously uninhabited forested hillsides—declared as protected forests or reserved forests under the Indian Forest Act—often for the purpose of poppy cultivation. In this mushrooming multiplicity of related issues, the Biren government's "War on Drugs" has often tended to get diverted from its central focus.

The flashpoint came on March 10. Civil society organisations of Kuki tribes held peaceful rallies at different places to protest government eviction notices served to villages deemed to have encroached into reserved forests. One of these rallies turned violent and protesters clashed with the police. The government, in response, called an emergency cabinet meeting and made some tough decisions, one of which is rather rash. The first said the government would not be taking back its decision to evict encroachers from reserved and protected forests. The second reaffirmed its drive against poppy plantation will continue. The third said the state government would be pulling out of the Suspension of Operations (SoO) agreement with two Chin-Kuki militant groups, the Kuki National Army (KNA) and Zomi Revolutionary Army (ZRA).

The government has not said the three decisions are related but their juxtaposition is too close to not be read otherwise. While the earlier two are understandable and indeed seem to have received the nod from New Delhi, the last is where the state government may end up embarrassed. The SoO is a tripartite agreement between the Centre, the state government, and 25 Kuki militant organisations. Can a responsible party then unilaterally pull out without prior notice? Indications are, the Centre has said no to this. The state government biting off more than it can chew is one thing, but the deadly Golden Triangle now seems to have expanded its boundaries, bringing with it its peculiar brand of social woes to burden all unfortunate to come within it. Manipur's cup of woes is overflowing yet again.

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STRENGTHEN SENIORS ACT TO HELP THEM AGE HEALTHILY

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Indic literature is replete with instances of children volunteering to fulfill their obligations and duties towards parents. In today's India, its youth—who have been brought up on the western staple of fervent individualism and absolute freedom—are caught in the throes of this baffling conundrum. So, what has really changed with the churn of the time wheel and how does it affect seniors?

The NSS survey on the condition of the aged, conducted in 2004, revealed that a significant proportion of older adults depend financially and socially on their children and grandchildren. According to the Census 2011, there are nearly 104 million elderly people (aged 60 years or above) in India: 53 million are female and 51 million are male. A survey on elder abuse carried out by HelpAge India in 2015 reports 73% of the younger population accepting that elder abuse exists. The experience of coming across "instances of elder abuse" is as high as 32.5% among relatives, followed by 21% among friends and 20% among neighbors. With the increasing reach of sustained healthcare and an incremental rise in average life span across the board, this population is estimated to reach 173 million by 2026. With it comes the challenge of providing as much of the population as possible with the same quality of life they have been used to in their younger days—or maybe even better. But the data on the rise of abuse and mistreatment casts a dark and damning spell on the future of our senior citizens.

One may ask: what has the socio-political ecosystem of the country done to stem this ignominious rise in exploitation and neglect of the elderly? The Maintenance and Welfare of Parents and Senior Citizens Act (MWPSC) was enacted in 2007 with an aim to resolve the social and financial issues resulting from the rising apathy of heirs towards the elderly. This Act, while providing economic support and maintenance, leaves most seniors at the mercy of their providers, those in line to their inheritance. The Act was amended in 2019: it expanded the definition of "children" and removed the arbitrary upper limit of ₹10,000 as the maintenance to be provided to the petitioner. Also, the definition of maintenance and welfare was reconstituted to be more inclusive and in line with the idea of a "dignified life" which encompasses both physical and mental health.

Even after such addendums, this Act remains riddled with hazardous odysseys. By simply relegating the responsibility of the elderly almost entirely to their wards, the state seems to have washed its hands off them. Doling out sums of ₹200–₹500 to the BPL category seniors under the Indira Gandhi National Old Age Pension Scheme seems woefully inadequate and small to maintain a dignified life.

> The causes of elder abuse are multi-fold and not always intentional. Older people with mental health conditions and dementia are more vulnerable. At times, the abuse is more "covert" and passive

The lack of robust social welfare schemes for the geriatric population remains an elusive feat for the state. Though there are maintenance officers entrusted with effectively smoothening the process of transfer of the welfare sum and other disputes arising in such cases, they lack empowering action in cases where maintenance sums are denied or stopped. The question of reappeals and repeated objections fall on a sloping edge. Punishment for abandonment and abuse of the senior citizen is almost frivolously ineffectual. Furthermore, the inadequacy of information about their rights and laws as well as inaccessibility to the corridors of justice compound this festering situation.

The MWPSC Act, even with its good intentions, has several shortcomings. It remains within the civil purview, and so legal authorities have an inherent inertia about the same. Tribunals that are needed to settle the dispute of neglecting seniors are largely lacking in many areas. The definition of "abuse" itself is ambiguous, making it difficult to pinpoint the perpetrators. This is coupled with an indoor "settlement" in most cases. Digital literacy is dismal among our older adults and as a result, they fail to reach out to online helplines/portals. Many older adults are unaware of the provisions of this Act altogether whereas many do not report abuse for fear of legal hassles and lack of action.

This narrative needs to change. The MWPSC is not enough in its own right! Policymakers need to adopt a "no tolerance" policy to elder abuse, similar to that of child maltreatment and intimate partner violence. The Act needs further amendments to prevent, identity and deal with abuse with harsher punishments. Older people need empowerment to report in a receptive atmosphere while law enforcers need to continuously follow up every case of abuse. Media awareness is also a must. On a larger spectrum, we all need to strive to strengthen intergenerational bonds so that the young serve as gatekeepers of healthy and happy ageing.

The causes of elder abuse are multi-fold and not always intentional. Older people with mental health conditions and dementia are more vulnerable. At times, the abuse is more "covert" and passive—the perpetrator may not be aware about it. Hence, dialogues with social workers and physicians are often helpful before legal action. Incorporating such provisions, the MWPSC Act needs stricter implementation. It is the only Indian Act till date for the elderly: hence it indeed needs to be *The Act* for their protection!

The UN International Decade of Healthy Ageing is 2021–2030. This decade needs us to strive for the human rights of older people, ensuring their dignity and preventing elder abuse—so that India turns into *The Nation for Older People*.

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Quick thinking

This is with reference to the news *Woman, 70, waves red shorts, averts train mishap* (Apr 5). The razor-sharp mental faculties of Chandravathi in averting a big calamity must be profusely praised by one and all. She proved that age is just a number!
Parthasarathy Mandadi, Tirupati

Renaming places

India outrightly rejecting China's attempts at renaming a number of places in Arunachal Pradesh is a stern warning against that country's malafide intentions to continue increasing its territorial reach. However, our External Affairs Minister should have refuted their claims instead of delegating such responsibility to the spokesperson.
N A Joseph, Ettumanoor

Fair criticism

This is with reference to the editorial *Funny memes or fair criticisms merit unreasonable action* (Apr 5). In the pre-internet era when cartoons held sway, famous cartoonists produced humorous pieces lampooning government actions without any fear of the authorities. They were taken in the right spirits by the officialdom.
N Rama Rao, Gurugram

Mughal history

Apropos of *Mughals not deleted, syllabus rationalised, says NCERT chief* (Apr 5). The row over the alleged deletion of Mughal history has become a national hot topic, even as the NCERT assures that the deletion will not affect the knowledge to be taught and acquired. The phrase 'syllabus being rationalised' is a misnomer leading to an unnecessary row.
E S Chandrasekaran, Chennai

Lanka's problems

Apropos of *Sri Lanka's debt crisis very much a governance crisis* (Apr 3). This article is bang on target. The columnist is brutally correct; it is a governance crisis of monumental consequences, which innocent, hardworking Sri Lankans all over the world are paying a terrible price for. The two criminal brothers are to be blamed for most of the crisis and hopefully they pay a big price for it.
Daya Patel, email

Indian secularism

The Georgia Assembly has passed a resolution condemning Hinduphobia. Such resolutions should be passed by Parliament and State Assemblies in India, too, as we are witnessing Hinduphobia in the nation. The term secularism has come to mean anti-Hinduism. Most think they have to take an anti-Hindu stance if they have to win the 'secular' label.
K R Jayaprakash Rao, Mysuru

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TWEETS OF THE DAY

Ajit Pawar @AjitPawarSpeaks
Tribute to Pandita Ramabai Saraswati, great social activist who spent her entire life for all-round upliftment of orphans, disabled and widowed women

Himanta Biswa Sarma @himanta
With PM @narendramodiji giving topmost priority to our Ashta-Lakshmi states, the region has become more peaceful & secured than ever in decades

Chandra Shekhar @BhimArmyChief
Hundreds of salutes to freedom fighter and former Union Minister Babu Jagjivan Ram on his birth anniversary!

Historians, academics slam NCERT

Removal of Mahatma reference paints an inferior image of India globally: Tushar Gandhi

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

AMID furore over NCERT removing references to Mahatma Gandhi's pursuit of Hindu-Muslim unity and a ban on the RSS, historians and academics have slammed the move, saying this is an attempt to politicize education.

While CPM general secretary Sitaram Yechury said communal rewriting of history has intensified, CPI's D Raja said, "NCERT behaving as National Council for Eradication of Rationality & Truth! Changes are another attempt at distorting & rewriting history by RSS. Sardar Patel banned RSS post Gandhi's assassination to root out the forces of hate and violence. No amount of lying can conceal that."

Oppn reacts

While CPM general secretary Sitaram Yechury said communal rewriting of history has intensified, the Congress' Jairam Ramesh called it an attempt to "whitewash history with vengeance."

Speaking with this paper, Tushar Gandhi, great-grandson of Mahatma Gandhi and author of 'Let's Kill Gandhi!: A Chronicle of His Last Days, the Conspiracy, Murder, Investigation, Trials and the Kapur Commission, said that he is not surprised that the NCERT has deleted references to Gandhi from the political science textbook of Class XII. "It is an expected move by the Sangh Parivar."

"They have been campaigning that India's image is being tarnished. But they are tarnishing India's image globally. This move paints an inferior image of India internationally. Gandhi is a respected figure historically and internationally," Gandhi said.

Ashis Nandy, a noted sociologist and clinical psychologist, said, "One of the most dangerous things of the 20th century is interfering with history. It began in the 1930s with Nazi Germany, and where it reached the level of book burning. What is happening now is deeply disturbing."

Mridula Mukherjee, who taught history in at the Centre for Historical Studies, JNU, said NCERT "quietly" deleted references to Gandhiji, the role of RSS, and banning of RSS.

Irfan Habib, historian and author, added that this is not rationalisation, but politics. "This has more to do with present politics than history."

Could be oversight: NCERT chief on Gandhi omission

KAVITA BAJELI-DATT @ New Delhi

THE deletion of some content on Mahatma Gandhi from Class 12 textbooks could be an oversight, NCERT chief **Dinesh Saklani** said on Wednesday, responding to the controversy over new omissions.

The removal of portions on the RSS ban after Gandhiji's assassination and references to his pursuits on Hindu-Muslim amity has snowballed into a political controversy.

Saklani said the furore over the missing content on Gandhi ji's assassination has been "blown out of proportion" as new books under the National Education Policy 2020 will roll out next year.

Speaking to this newspaper, Saklani said that no change was made after the rationalisation exercise last year. "We have not made any changes since the rationalisation last year. We have followed all the procedures," he said.

"If a chapter is removed or a big portion is deleted, then that is discussed beforehand. But if one or two lines are deleted, that is not discussed," he said, stressing that one or two lines from the chapter on Gandhi getting deleted could be an "oversight."

On the ongoing debate, he said, "It is untimely and unwanted because last year, for three months NCERT gave its version gradually with all clarity. The whole nation was convinced and welcomed the decision. Even the student community was convinced and welcomed the move as their burden was reduced during Covid."

NCERT's priority is to roll out textbooks based on NEP 2020, Saklani told this correspondent. "We are going to publish foundational stage books. These books for Class 1 and 2 will come out soon, and then the rest of the books till Class 12 will come out next year."

Quit Cong because of Rahul, so did many others, says Azad

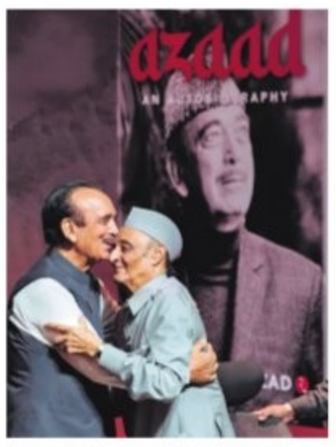
PREETHA NAIR @ New Delhi

FORMER Congress leader Ghulam Nabi Azad on Wednesday said Rahul Gandhi is the reason for him and several other 'young and old' leaders to quit the grand old party. The former Jammu and Kashmir CM made the comments during the release of his autobiography 'Azaad', in the capital.

"Rahul Gandhi is the reason that I am not in Congress today. Many young and old deserted the party for the same reason," he said.

Azad, who quit last year, said Congress has become a party of spineless bunch. "If you are in Congress, you will have to undergo an operation to remove your spine," he said. The autobiography, which gives a glimpse of his political journey through the years, was released by former Union minister Karan Singh.

Azad said though he has difference of opinion with the functioning of Congress, he has objected to the conviction and subsequent disqualification of Rahul on defamation case. "When the disqualification happened, I gave a statement in Jammu that it was wrong. Though I left Congress, my objectivity is still intact," he said, adding that Rahul is paying the price for tearing the 2013 Ordinance on conviction of politicians.



Ghulam Nabi Azad with former MP Karan Singh at the release of his autobiography on Wednesday | PTI

Azad regretted the UPA government should have stuck to the Ordinance despite Rahul's reservations. "He was not part of the cabinet. You all know how weak our cabinet was. If we had passed it, Rahul would have been saved today... None except the President can overrule the cabinet decision," he said.

On top Congress leaders and three CMs accompanying Rahul to a Surat court, he said, "The party should not issue a whip to the leaders to accompany Rahul to the Surat court. Indira Gandhi or former PM Narasimha have never asked any leader to accompany them."

Azad, who formed Democratic Progressive Azad Party after quitting Congress, also said Sonia Gandhi doesn't have the power to decide whether Azad can come back to Congress or not.

"Sonia Gandhi doesn't have the power to call me back into the party. If she had the power, I would not be where I am today. Even if she takes me back, she can't guarantee what would be done to me," he said.

Comparing Rahul's style of functioning with former Indira Gandhi and Rajiv Gandhi, Azad said, "Indira Gandhi was a 24/7 politician. Rajiv Gandhi was a reluctant politician, but he gave hundred per cent. Sonia Gandhi also worked hard. But Rahul's heart is not there. Politics is about commitment to people, party and the country," he said.

Places of Worship Act: SC sends matter to 3-judge bench in July

SHRUTI KAKKAR @ New Delhi

THE Supreme Court on Wednesday posted for July the pleas challenging constitutionality of provisions of Places of Worship Act, 1991, a law that protects the identity and character of religious places prevailed as on August 15, 1947.

The provisions of the Act, as per Section 5, however, do not apply to the place or place of worship commonly known as Ram Janma Bhumi-Babri Masjid situated in Ayodhya and also to any pleas suit, appeal or other proceeding related to the place or place of worship.

Noting that the Union has failed to clear its stand, a bench of Chief Justice of India (CJI) DY Chandrachud and Justice JB Pardiwala directed for listing the matter before a three-judge bench in July.

Earlier on January 9, a bench of CJI DY Chandrachud and Justice PS Narasimha agreed to post the plea after February, after the bench was informed that the Centre was "consulting" and the "process was going on".

Noting Senior Advocate Kapil Sibal's contention regarding maintainability of the pleas, the bench clarified that the same will be considered first. "This is legislation in terms of which certain observations were made in Ram Janmabhoomi verdict. Such pleas can't be in the form of PIL qua judgment of court. How can you review the judgment? There cannot be PIL qua an act. Please not my preliminary objections," Sibal had earlier argued.

Considering his submissions, the bench said the objections pertaining to maintainability will be heard first. "Senior Advocate Kapil Sibal seeks to raise preliminary objections to the maintainability of the pleas," bench said.

Questioning the Centre's act of delay in filing a comprehensive affidavit, Advocate Vrinda Grover, appearing for All-India Muslim Personal Board and Jamiat Ulema i Hind, said that religious character of Kashi and Mathura were being sought to be altered.

ALSO IN TOP COURT

Naga order barring women quota stayed

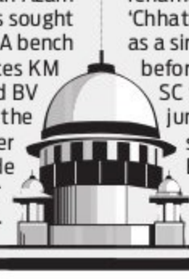
SC stayed the Nagaland government order cancelling scheduled local body polls with 33% reservation for women. A bench of Justice SK Kaul and Justice Ahsanuddin Amanullah came down on the State and sought its reply in a contempt plea thta alleged non-compliance of the order of the apex court. The SC order had directed the State Government and the Nagaland State Election Commission to hold local body elections in the state.

Asks Allahabad HC to hear Azam's plea

SC asked Allahabad HC to decide disqualification plea of Samajwadi Party MLA Mohammad Abdullah Azam Khan wherein he has sought relief at the earliest. A bench comprising justices KM Joseph and BV Nagarathna asked the HC to hear the matter on April 10 and decide the application for stay.

Plea junked against renaming Maha city

The apex court refused to entertain a plea challenging Maharashtra's decision to rename Aurangabad as 'Chhatrapati Sambhajinagar' as a similar matter is pending before the Bombay HC. SC two weeks ago had junked a plea over the same matter since the Bombay HC had already taken cognisance of it.



Meet between TMC MPs & Giriraj that didn't happen

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

NATIONAL general secretary of TMC and LS MP Abhishek Banerjee on Wednesday accused the Modi government of not releasing the MGNREGA's fund due to West Bengal despite frequents reminders sent by the West Bengal government to the Central government.

A delegation of TMC MPs, comprising national general secretary Abhishek Banerjee, MP Sudip Bandhopadhayay, Dola Sen and others, went to meet Union Minister of Rural Development Giriraj Singh with a memorandum of demand on Wednesday, but they could not meet the minister.

Unable to meet the minister, finally the delegation of TMC MPs held a meeting with officials of ministry on state's MGNREGA dues and sought immediate release of funds to the state government.

Later, speaking to the media, Banerjee accused the Central government of deliberately depriving Bengal of funds under various schemes of MGNREGA affecting lakhs of poor families. He alleged, "We will not let 17 lakh families of Bengal be deprived by the BJP."

No plan to use Aadhaar data for census work, Centre informs LS

RAJESH KUMAR THAKUR @ New Delhi

THE Central government on Wednesday informed the Lok Sabha that there is no plan to use Aadhaar card data for census.

In a written reply to the question of a member, Rajeev Chandrasekhar, Minister of State for Electronics and Information Technolgoy, categorically said in a written reply to the Lok Sabha: "The office has informed that there is no plan to use Aadhaar data for census." So far, more than 136 crore Aadhaar numbers have been issued by it till the end of February in the country."

"After adjusting for the estimated number of deaths, the estimated number of living Aadhaar number holders is 130.2 crore, which is over 94 per cent of the total projected population for 2022," the minister said in reply to questions by Congress member Adoor Prakash.

Further, the minister Minister of State for Electronics and Information Technolgoy said there is no mechanism to receive the Aadhaar numbers of deceased persons from the Registrars, appointed by state governments, under the provisions of the Registration of Births and Deaths Act.

Meanwhile, the Central government has extended the deadline for linking Permanent Account Number (PAN) with Aadhaar numbers till June 30 this year .

Starting July 1, this year , taxpayers who have failed to link their Aadhaar numebr with their Permanent Account Number card will face consequences.

The government has announced that the PAN of such taxpayers will become "inoperative", the consequences of which will be "severe".

POWER CORRIDOR

18K PLAINTS RECEIVED AGAINST OLA, UBER

The government on Wednesday said 18,890 complaints were received on National Consumer Helpline since 2017 against cab aggregators- Ola and the Uber. "441 grievances have been received on Public Grievance portal and 18,890 complaints received on National Consumer Helpline from January 2017 against Ola and Uber", Minister of State for Food and Consumer Affairs Ashwini Kumar Choubey informed the Lok Sabha.

OVER 11,000 OLD VEHICLES SCRAPPED: GOVT

A total of 11,025 vehicles (7,750 private and 3,275 government vehicles) have been scrapped till March 31 by the registered scrapping facilities, Parliament was informed on Wednesday. In a written reply to the Rajya Sabha, Union Minister Nitin Gadkari further said 24 states/UTs have reported 2,56,935 government-owned vehicles older than 15 years.

NO PLANS TO REGULATE AI GROWTH: GOVT

The government is neither considering to bring any law nor has any plans to regulate the growth of artificial intelligence in the country, Parliament was informed on Wednesday. Union Minister for IT and Telecom Ashwini Vaishnaw in a written submission to the Lok Sabha said there are ethical concerns and risks around artificial intelligence.

'Rupee-rouble trade can resolve payments issue'

YESHI SELI @ New Delhi

RUSSIAN Chamber of Commerce and Industry (CCI) president **Sergey Katyrin** said on Tuesday that the issue of payments between Russia and India is close to resolution and the two sides have been working on various options.

Katyrin, who is in India as the head of a large business delegation from Russia, told this newspaper that the possibility of doing trade in rupee and rouble is very much on the table. "In the previous year, we have traded for $30 billion. Most of the payments happened in national currencies. We have been with many countries in national currencies. In our Eurasian Economic Union (which includes five countries), nearly 75 per cent of the mutual settlements are in national currencies. With many partners these relationships are being built on a mutual basis which includes China and India."

However, all mutual settlements will not be in rupee, Katyrin said, adding, "There is a segment which does not allow us settlement in rupees. At the same time, we would not want Indian banks to attract sanctions from the West. Of course, we are looking for other options, there are complications, but there are many options too."

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India and Russia have been engaged in talks to resolve the payment crisis. Russia supplies huge amounts of arms and equipment as well as crude oil to India. Since the sanctions imposed by the western countries on Russia after it attacked Ukraine, dues have been piling up on India. Among the options is the revival of the rupee-rouble trade.

The Russian side has been bullish on India and in spite of the dues piling up, Russia has continued with the supplies. The country, in fact, is seeking a closer engagement with India. The Russian delegation of businessmen that has arrived in India is seeking collaborations with india businesses in many fields. "Around 90 companies are accompanying us from various sectors like automobiles, IT, machine building, pharmaceuticals, etc. Our spectrum is very wide. These companies are mostly medium and small scale. Usually the big companies have their own connections. Help is needed by small and medium scale industries. For this reason, we are inaugurating today an India office of the Russian CCI at New Delhi," Katyrin said.

"Russian companies are looking for partners in India. Many companies that were earlier working in the West are also looking at partnering with India since their businesses are not viable there any longer," he said.

The Russian business delegation engaged on Wednesday with the India counterparts in business-to-business meetings organised by the Federation of India Chambers of Commerce and Industry (FICCI). "FICCI has made a special electronic platform for of the Indian businessmen to engage with the Russian industry. Arrangements have been made to help the Russian and Indian companies to identify their potential partners well in advance of our India trip. We had been preparing for this visit for more than two months along with Indian colleagues and I am sure this will be very successful," said the Russian CCI president.

Biggest single-day jump in Covid cases in 191 days, 15 deaths recorded

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @ New Delhi

INDIA on Wednesday recorded 4,435 new Covid cases, the biggest single-day jump in 191 days. Maharashtra witnessed a 187 per cent jump in cases.

Taking note of the surge in Covid-19 cases, a bench comprising Chief Justice of India (CJI) D Y Chandrachud and Justice J B Pardiwala said the Supreme Court is more than willing to permit lawyers to appear through hybrid mode.

According to the Union Health Ministry, 15 deaths were reported across the country. Four of them were reported from Maharashtra which is seeing a surge triggered by the latest Covid-19 subvariant XBB.1.16.

One death each was reported from Chhattisgarh, Delhi, Gujarat, Haryana, Karnataka, Puducherry and Rajasthan.

According to Krishna Prasad N C, a Covid data analyst, India hit the double-digit of Covid deaths after September 22 last year. India last reported over 4,000 cases on September 24, he said. The number of active cases increased to 23,091. With the new cases, India's Covid-19 tally climbed to 4.47 crore, and the death toll went up to 5,30,916. On Tuesday, there were 3,038 new coronavirus infections.

India hit double-digit Covid fatalities after September 22 last year. India last saw over 4,000 cases on September 24

Prasad said all the states are witnessing a rise in Covid cases. Uttar Pradesh saw a 97 per cent jump in Covid cases, followed by Karnataka (85 per cent), Delhi (78 per cent) and Gujarat (40 per cent) from the previous day.

Keeping the surge in mind, Himachal Pradesh Chief Minister Sukhvinder Singh Sukhu has urged people to follow appropriate Covid-19 behaviour and wear masks in crowded places to check the spread of the virus.

Uttar Pradesh Agriculture Minister Surya Pratap Shahi said he had tested positive for Covid-19. The Uttar Pradesh government has already put all the frontline workers working in government and private hospitals on 'alert mode' and has stepped up preventive measures.

More than 2.2 billion Covid-19 vaccines have been administered so far, out of which 1,979 were administered in the last 24 hours. India had kickstarted its nationwide vaccination drive on January 16, 2021.

TERRORISTS ON THE RUN

Two accused in a terror-related case escaped from police custody in Baramulla district of Jammu and Kashmir on Wednesday, official sources said. A case has been registered and efforts are on to nab the two.

2 KILLED AS SPEEDING CAR RAMS INTO SHOP IN UP

INDIA	Max	Min		Max	Min
Ahmedabad	34	22	Mumbai	34	25
Bhopal	29	18	Panaji	29	23
Jaipur	29	18	Patna	31	20
Amritsar	26	14	Lucknow	28	19
Chennai	32	26	Port Blair	32	25
Kolkata	30	22	Imphal	25	13
Srinagar	16	07	Chandigarh	24	16

HC cautions Didi on Hanuman Jayanti

Asks for deployment of Central forces to ensure law and order

PRANAB MONDAL @Kolkata

WITHIN a week, West Bengal witnessed violence in Howrah and Hooghly during Ram Navami processions. The Calcutta High Court on Wednesday directed the state government to seek assistance from paramilitary forces during Hanuman Jayanti celebrations on Thursday by requesting the Union Home Ministry. The Centre was also asked to deploy the Central forces by the state.

"The state police are required to take all steps with the assistance of paramilitary force or other Central force to prevent any untoward incident so that the public is not put in jeopardy," a division bench comprising acting chief justice T.S. Sivagnaman and justice Hiranmay Bhattacharyya said. The bench also directed that no person, either a political personality or leader or even a common man, will make any statement in public about the festival to be celebrated on Thursday considering the sensitivity.

The High Court passed the directive responding to a PIL filed by leader of the Opposition and BJP MLA Suvendu Adhikari after the incidents of violence from Howrah's Shibpur and Rishra in Hooghly were reported during Ram Navami processions.

Several vehicles were torched during Howrah clash on March 31 | EXPRESS

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Calcutta High Court

The bench also asked the state government represented by the advocate general to specify the steps to be taken to avoid any untoward incident during the religious celebration. Responding to it, the state submitted that it has imposed 27 conditions on those seeking to carry out processions.

In the submission that state said the trend of celebrating the Hanuman Jayanti festival started in Bengal five years ago and it not used to be one of the regular events celebrated in the state before that.

Amitava Chakrrabarty, organisation secretary of the West Bengal Vishwa Hindu Parishad, said processions on Hanuman Jayanti would be taken out where permission has already been granted on the basis of conditions. "In other places, the celebrations will be carried out in temples," he said. The state decided to deploy paramilitary forces in three districts.

BJP MLA marshalled out of Bihar House

RAMASHANKAR @Patna

EVEN as normalcy started returning to the riot-torn Biharsharif and Sasaram in Bihar, politics over the communal violence in the state continues unabated. The political heat also spilled over to the state assembly as BJP MLA Jivesh Mishra was marshalled out from the House as he created a ruckus in support for his demand for an explanation from Chief Minister Nitish Kumar over communal flare-ups in Biharsharif and Sasaram.

Mishra said he was demanding a statement from the chief minister on communal violence in Sasaram and Biharsharif but instead of him, the in charge of the state home department Bijendra Prasad Yadav wanted to do it. He also alleged that the speaker in a one-sided decision marshalled him out of the House.

On the other hand, Nitish claimed that some people tried to create communal disturbance in Biharsharif and Sasaram deliberately and said that all those involved behind it would be exposed soon.

Fake encounter, say families of slain Maoists in J'khand

MUKESH RANJAN @Ranchi

FAMILY members of the Maoists gunned down by police on Monday claimed that it was a fake encounter as police has shot them on their heads from point blank range after they caught the five of them.

Director General of Police Ajay Kumar Singh, however, rejected their allegations stating that there is no substance in it and asked them to bring proof if they have any. Notably, five Maoists were gunned by security forces at Lawalong in Jharkhand's Chatra on Monday.

Those who were killed in police encounter include, Subzonal Commanders Amar Gnjhu, Nandu and Sanjeev Bhuiyan, besides SAC members Gautam Paswan and Ajit Oroan alias Charlis. The SAC members had a bounty of ₹25 lakh each, while the Sub-zonal commanders had prize money of ₹5 lakh each on their heads.

Family members of SAC Member Gautam Paswan said that they had reached Chatra with the intention to surrender, but were killed by police.

'Reds were shot in head from point blank range'

Families of the encountered Maoists said that the five of them were shot from a point blank range. "Had there been an encounter, there would have been firing from both the sides, but no firing was done from the other side. All of them were shot on their heads, which is unlikely," said Santosh Yadav, brother-in-law of one of the maoists.

"Police has killed my father in a fake encounter as they have been shot on heads from a close range. I will go to Human Rights Commission seeking justice from them," said SAC member's son Chandan Paswan. According to Chandan, police did not want them to lead a dignified life, therefore they killed his father so brutally.

"They want us to join Maoist group. This is not an encounter; it is a cold blooded murder," he said. Santosh Yadav, son-in-law of Nandu, said, "Had there been an encounter, there would have been firing from both the sides, but no firing was done from the other side."

RAIPUR DIARY

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Shah launches news in local language on radio

Union home minister Amit Shah during his recent Bastar visit inaugurated a news bulletin in local Halbi dialect on Akashwani, citing that it will strengthen the local language and connect the tribals of the region with the nation and the world. A week later CM Bhupesh Baghel launched the state's first digital radio station 'radio sangwari' to promote the art and culture of the state. The monthly radio programme of PM Narendra Modi (Mann Ki Baat) and CM Baghel (Lokvani) on issues of people or regarding governance proved that the radio listenership remains strong and growing.

Singhdeo's aspiration for CM post persists

'Why shouldn't I desire to become the chief minister now? I always wished to be the CM earlier too', said health minister T S Singhdeo, who hinted yet again that he keeps his hope alive. He recalled that ahead of the 2018 Assembly polls, the Congress has not declared anyone as the face of CM. The four senior party leaders, who got elected, were called by the High Command to Delhi. Finally, Bhupesh Baghel became the CM for his capabilities, mass contacts and vision for Chhattisgarh. "Given a chance, why I shouldn't be the CM. But all these are the matters within the party. I know and will speak one day on what discussions were then held in the meeting in Delhi", Singhdeo said.

Judge Ramesh Sinha takes oath in Hindi

Senior Judge of Allahabad high court Justice Ramesh Sinha was sworn-in as the 15th chief justice of Chhattisgarh High Court, succeeding Justice Arup Kumar Goswami who retired last month. Governor Bishwabhushan Harichandan administered the oath of office to Justice Sinha at a function held at Raj Bhavan. A law graduate from Allahabad university in 1990, he took the oath in Hindi. He was appointed as additional judge in the Allahabad High Court in 2011. The high court, located in Bilaspur district, has now 14 sitting judges, Including Sinha.

Cong promises MP temple audit after Indore stepwell cave-in

EXPRESS NEWS SERVICE @Bhopal

SIX days after 36 devotees died in the step-well roof's collapse at a temple in Indore on Ram Navami festival, the opposition Congress on Wednesday promised to enact a law for safety and security audit before all big public events, on coming to power in Madhya Pradesh.

While recounting a series of incidents, which claimed several lives at crowded social and religious events during the 18-year-long BJP rule, MPCC president Kamal Nath said, "On coming to power, a law will be framed to categorise all kinds of social, religious and other gatherings of public importance, based on the expected number of attendance at the events."

"The events will be categorised based on the expected number of people likely to gather, starting with the primary category of 1,000 to 5,000 and ending with the final category of over one lakh people."

Alleging that delayed response by rescue teams contributed to loss of lives in Indore, Nath said community emergency response teams would formed in every district once Congress comes to power.

Punjab govt nod to pvt players in power sector likely to impact revenue

HARPREET BAJWA @Chandigarh

PUNJAB's AAP government is going ahead with the smart metering project as a backdoor entry of privatization of power distribution in the state. The tender for 100% smart metering across the state will be floated shortly — 85 lakh meters for domestic, commercial and industry consumers.

Other state governments are dilly-dialing over installing these meters as mandated by the Union Ministry of Power. The reason is that the state power utilities will lose control over their revenue.

Sources said the state government has pressed with the Punjab State Power Corporation Ltd (PSPCL) to finish off the tender work and set in motion smart metering. It is estimated that each meter will cost the consumer ₹10,000 while the maximum subsidy will be of ₹900.

Chief Minister Bhagwant Mann reportedly assured PSEB engineers association that privatization would not be resorted to. However, the conditions laid down in the tender document are such that the private firm that is allotted the tender will have a complete control as well as revenue of the corporation, said sources.

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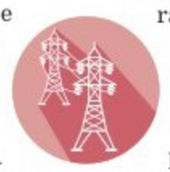


An officer said that already large and medium supply industrial consumers are on smart meters (8,000 large industrial consumers out of the total 1.50 lakh such consumers.

Also the distribution losses are 12.99%, as the majority of the theft is due to "political patronage."

The PSEB Engineers Association has written to Mann and state Power Minister Harbahajan Singh.

Watered down Right to Health Act keeps 90% of pvt hosps out of ambit

RAJESH ASNANI @Jaipur

RAJASTHAN has become the first state in the country to provide the Right to Health (RTH) to its citizens after the doctors' strike was withdrawn on Tuesday.

There are following key gains:

- In case of a medical emergency, one will be able to take treatment in any hospital covered under this Bill without giving any pre-payment. If the person is unable to pay after treatment, the government will pay the amount.
- By bringing many hospitals under this ambit, the person who needs immediate medication in case of an emergency will now get it even in private hospitals. The treatment can be given to him in his golden hour. The emergency cases will include road accidents, snake bites and poisoning.
- Patients who will come under the purview of this bill will be able to get facilities like free OPD, IPD and emergency care. The patient will be entitled to access all his records, investigation reports and bills for treatment.
- When the patient has the right to collect the bill for every treatment and facility, then the private hospital or medical college will be saved from collecting that money.

The other big question is which hospitals are being brought under the ambit of RTH? The hospitals will include:

- All types of government hospitals including all government medical colleges and all private medical colleges of Rajasthan.

However, the RTH Bill passage was followed by a 16-day strike by doctors and health professionals in private hospitals and clinics. The strike was called off after an agreement.

The key takeaways are:

- The private sector has been largely left out of the bill, with only 47 hospitals in the state coming under its purview. There are over 2,000 private hospitals and nursing homes across the state.
- Only 9 private medical college-cum-hospitals in the state will be bound to provide emergency services. Over 90% of private hospitals in the state will now be exempt from providing any kind of free services.
- Only three districts -- Jaipur, Udaipur, and Sriganganagar -- have 9 medical colleges that will come under the ambit of RTH.

The doctors on Tuesday called off their fortnight-long agitation after a consensus was arrived at and an eight-point agreement was agreed upon between government and doctors. The deadlock was ended after doctors held a meeting at the residence of Chief Secretary Usha Sharma.

CM Ashok Gehlot had said: "I am happy that finally an agreement has been reached between the government and doctors on RTH and Rajasthan has become the first state in the country to implement the same. I hope the relationship between doctors and patients will remain the same in future."

Gujarat says rioters will be punished, but no conviction in 84 riots in 3 years

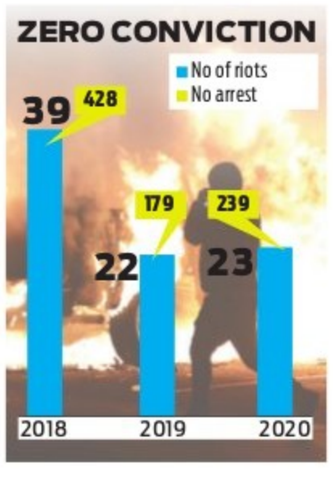
DILIP SINGH KSHATRIYA @Ahmedabad

GUJARAT Minister of State for Home Harsh Sanghavi has said that those who fled Vadodara and went into hiding after stone-pelting during last week's Ram Navami processions will be traced, prosecuted and convicted.

The data on past record of such incidents, presented by the government in the Lok Sabha in the winter session, however, do not inspire confidence. Over the past three years, more than 80 riots occurred in Gujarat, but no one has been convicted.

Stones were thrown at a Ram Navami procession in the Fatehpura area of Gujarat's Vadodara city on March 30. Home minister Sanghavi visited Vadodara on Tuesday and addressed a press conference.

"Those who fled the city and went into hiding after throwing stones will be tracked down and brought back to the city. We will apprehend every such person and take harsh action against them," he said.



The BJP government has been continuously saying that there has been peace in Gujarat since 2002 and that the gov rnment has quelled the riots by taking strict action against rioters.

According to the data presented in the Lok Sabha, there were 39 communal riots in Gujarat in 2018 and 428 rioters were apprehended by the police. While the state saw 22 communal riots in 2019, 179 rioters were arrested. In 2020, 23 incidents of communal riots broke out and the police arrested 239 people.

In total, there have been 84 incidents of communal violence in the state over the three years between 2018 and 2020, but not a single accused has been punished. The conviction rate is zero. "The BJP government is responsible for the communal riots in Gujarat, so the real culprits are never caught," Congress spokesperson Hiren Banker said.

"In any communal riot, the government arrests people of a particular community, but they are never found guilty because there is no evidence against them in the court. In reality, the BJP government's own data demonstrate this," he added.

Hiren Banker Said "During the Gujarat election, the BJP government made big claims about how safe and secure Gujarat is. Where is the security and who is safe in Gujarat if there have been 84 incidents of communal riots in three years? This should be clarified by the Home Minister."

Post-Art 370, investment gets a boost in Kashmir

FAYAZ WANI @Srinagar

AFTER abrogation of Articles 370 and 35A and bifurcation of J&K state into two Union Territories (UTs) by the Centre on August 5, 2019, a total of 185 non-locals have bought land in Jammu and Kashmir and 1,559 companies have made investments in the UT.

However, no non-local has bought land in Ladakh where political parties, traders and civil society members are demanding 6th Schedule status to safeguard jobs and land rights of the local population.

In a written reply, Union Minister of State for Home Affairs Nityanand Rai on Wednesday informed the Rajya Sabha that as per the information provided by J&K government, 185 persons from outside the Union Territory have bought land in J&K in the last three years.

According to the data, only one person bought the land in J&K in 2020, followed by 57 in 2021 and 127 in 2022.

On August 5, 2019, the Centre scrapped Article 370, which granted special status to J&K, and Article 35A, which barred outsiders from purchasing land and property in J&K. The Union government also bifurcated J&K state into two UTs --- Jammu and Kashmir (with legislature) and Ladakh (without legislature).

In response to a question on the number of companies investing in J&K post Article 370 revocation, the minister informed the Rajya Sabha that, as per information provided by J&K government, a total of 1,559 companies, including multinational companies, have made investments in the UT.

According to data, 310 companies made investments in 2020-21, followed by 175 in 2021-22 and 1,074 in 2022-23 in J&K.

J&K Lt Governor Manoj Sinha recently informed that J&K government has received private investment proposals worth ₹66,000 crore within two years.

In neighbouring Ladakh, no land has been bought by persons from outside the UT and no company has invested in the UT during the last three years, the home minister informed the Rajya Sabha.

In Ladakh, Leh Apex Body (LAB) and Kargil Democratic Alliance (KDA), an amalgam of trade unions, social, political and religious, students groups from Ladakh, have joined hands to spearhead campaign for grant of 6th Schedule status, statehood with legislature, creation of two Lok Sabha seats and reservation of jobs to locals in Ladakh UT.

The LAB and KDA have threatened to intensify the agitation to press the centre to fulfill their demands.

Meanwhile, to end the impasse in Ladakh, the central government has reached out to Ladakh bodies — Leh Apex Body and Kargil Democratic Alliance — and sought from them specific provisions they want in 6th Schedule for the cold desert.

Cherring Dorjay Lakruk, an executive member of Leh Apex Body, said, "We will be meeting the Kargil Democratic Alliance leaders and it will be jointly decided what provisions we want for Ladakh."

NEW DAWN IN THE VALLEY

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28-YR-OLD
UK woman dies during weight loss surgery in Turkey

GLOBAL WEATHER
LR: Light Rain ● HR: Heavy Rain ● SW: Snow ● TDS: Thundershower ● LC: Light Cloud ● SNY: Sunny

Beijing	18	11	TDS	Los Angeles	21	9	LC
Colombo	32	24	LC	Melbourne	21	11	HR
Dhaka	34	25	TDS	Moscow	15	4	HR
Dubai	27	19	SNY	New York	13	11	LC
Houston	26	14	SNY	Singapore	30	26	TDS
Istanbul	11	7	LC	Toronto	11	7	LC
London	13	8	LC	Washington	30	21	LC

Clashes as Israel police storm Jerusalem mosque

Fears of escalation as rocket attacks and air strikes follow raid on mosque at sensitive hilltop compound holy to both Jews and Muslims

JERUSALEM

ISRAELI police clashed with Palestinians inside Jerusalem's Al-Aqsa mosque on Wednesday, sparking a military exchange of rockets and air strikes in flaring violence as the Jewish Passover coincides with the Muslim holy month of Ramadan.

Armed police in riot gear stormed the mosque's prayer hall before dawn, aiming to dislodge "law-breaking youths and masked agitators" they said had barricaded themselves inside following evening prayers. The officers were met with a barrage of rocks and fireworks, police video showed.

A Palestinian youngster burns tires during a protest in Gaza City | AFP

More than 350 arrests were made in the raid, which drew threats from Palestinian groups and wide condemnation from Muslim countries and beyond the region.

UN Middle East peace envoy Tor Wennesland urged "leaders on all sides" to "act responsibly and refrain from steps that could escalate tensions".

Washington expressed "alarm" at "the shocking scenes in Al-Aqsa Mosque and rockets launched from Gaza toward Israel".

In a statement, the US office of Palestinian affairs called for "restraint and de-escalation to allow peaceful worship and to protect the sanctity of the holy sites".

Germany urged both sides "to do everything possible to calm the situation".

Palestinian witness Abdel Karim Ikraiem, 74, charged that Israeli police armed with batons, tear gas grenades and smoke bombs, burst into the mosque "by force" and "beat the women and men" worshipping there.

One video widely circulated on social media showed police clubbing people on the floor inside the mosque.

The Palestinian Red Crescent said it had treated 37 people for injuries, including some after their release from custody.

Israel's far-right National Security Minister Itamar Ben Gvir voiced his "complete backing" for police and praised their "swift and determined" actions. Palestinian militant group Hamas, which rules the Gaza Strip, called on West Bank Palestinians "to go en masse to the Al-Aqsa mosque to defend it".

Rockets were fired in the predawn hours of Wednesday from Gaza into Israel, without causing casualties, prompting retaliatory air strikes. *Agencies*

Don slams charges as insult to country

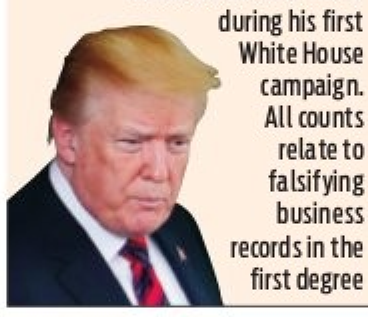
WASHINGTON

DONALD Trump offered a full-throated defence of his conduct Tuesday in his first public remarks since being charged over hush money payments to a porn star, blasting the criminal prosecution as "an insult to our country." Hours earlier the 76-year-old former US president pleaded not guilty to 34 felony counts in a dramatic hearing in New York — and began the countdown to the first ever criminal trial of an American president.

"I never thought anything like this could happen in America — never thought it could happen," Trump told an audience of several hundred donors, political allies and other supporters after returning to Mar-a-Lago, his beachfront mansion in southern Florida.

Falsifying biz records in the 1st degree

Donald Trump was confronted with a 34-count felony indictment charging him with a scheme to bury allegations of illicit affairs that arose during his first White House campaign. All counts relate to falsifying business records in the first degree



34 counts

- 11 are related to invoices submitted by Trump's former lawyer Michael Cohen to Trump Organization
- 11 are related to cheques issued for "phony purposes". Nine of them were signed by Trump
- 12 are related to false entries in the general ledger of Donald J Trump Revocable Trust

FELONY OR MISDEMEANOR?

Under New York law, falsification of business records can be a misdemeanor. However, the charges can be upgraded to felonies if they were done with the intent to defraud or with the intent to commit or conceal another crime

Under New York State law, it is a felony to falsify business records with intent to defraud and intent to conceal another crime. That is exactly what this case is about. Thirty-four false statements made to cover up other crimes — Alvin Bragg, Manhattan District Attorney

"The only crime that I've committed is to fearlessly defend our nation from those who seek to destroy it... It's an insult to our country." Trump — the frontrunner in the race for the 2024 Republican nomination — said.

The bizarrely celebratory mood in the room seemed at odds with the gravity of the day's events in Manhattan, with Trump reprising the applause lines that his supporters hear regularly at his rallies — and being rewarded with the same boisterous cheers and clapping. *Agencies*

OUT, BUT NOT OUT?

Marin to step down as party head after defeat

HELSINKI

FINLAND'S Prime Minister Sanna Marin, who lost a general election at the weekend, said on Wednesday that she would step down as the leader of the Social Democratic Party and dismissed notions of any international postings.

"I have come to the conclusion that I will not seek to continue as SDP leader at the forthcoming party conference in September," the 37-year-old leader told reporters in Helsinki.

Sanna Marin

The 37-year-old said she would continue as a lawmaker, despite speculation that she could be in the running for a top job at an international agency.

"I have not been offered any international posts. I will continue my work as a member of parliament," Marin said.

She will submit her government's resignation on Thursday, acknowledging that her term as prime minister had taken a toll.

"My own endurance has been tested at times during these years," she said.

Hoping to live "a little calmer life," she also said she would not seek the presidency.

But Marin said she does not expect to become a cabinet member in the next government even if it includes her Social Democrats.

"I don't think it's likely that I would be in that line-up of ministers myself," she said.

"Now that the election result was like this, I believe that I also have the opportunity to reflect on my own life and turn a new page."

Adern's climate pitch in last parliament speech

WELLINGTON

FORMER New Zealand Prime Minister Jacinda Ardern bowed out of parliament on Wednesday, making an impassioned plea during her tearful final speech to "please take the politics out of climate change".

Ardern shocked New Zealand earlier this year when she announced she was stepping down as prime minister and retiring from politics, saying she no longer had "enough in the tank".

Jacinda Adern

Draped in a korowai — a traditional Maori feather cloak — Ardern recalled her humble beginnings in a working class family, and how she never expected to lead the country.

She singled out the climate crisis as the defining issue of her time in politics.

"Climate change is a crisis. It is upon us," she said.

The 42-year-old, once the youngest woman leader in the world, choked up at several points during the speech, which she started and finished in the Maori language.

Her voice was thick with emotion as she recalled the pain caused by the Christchurch attack.

"Having sadly seen our nation in horrific moments of grief, I've concluded that countries don't move on from tragedy, rather they become part of your psyche," she said.

She will now devote herself to stamping out online extremism as part of the Christchurch Call project.

ASIA MATTERS

Russian deported from Bali

A Russian tourist has been deported from Bali after posting a photograph of himself half-naked atop a sacred mountain, officials on the Indonesian holiday island said Wednesday.The palm-fringed hotspot has vowed a crackdown on misbehaving tourists after a spate of incidents including acts of disrespect to the predominantly Hindu island's culture. The 24-year-old Russian national, who calls himself Yuri Chilikin on social media, posed naked from the waist down on Mount Agung, Bali's highest peak, which Hindus on the island believe to be home to their gods. He was deported Tuesday

Paetongtarn is Opposition's PM candidate

Thailand's main opposition Pheu Thai party confirmed on Wednesday the daughter of billionaire ex-premier Thaksin Shinawatra as one of its candidates to be prime minister in the kingdom's upcoming election. Paetongtarn Shinawatra, a 36-year-old with a jet-setting lifestyle and half a million Instagram followers, stands in stark contrast to her establishment rivals, two strait-laced former army chiefs with a combined age of 146. A sea of Pheu Thai supporters, wearing T-shirts in the party's signature colour red, tramped into a football stadium to see Paetongtarn anointed

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IN THE COURT OF THE XV ADDL. CHIEF JUDICIAL MAGISTARTE AT BENGALURU
C.MISC.No. 1809/2023
BETWEEN: Mr. VENKATESH.Y Aged about 39 years, S/o. Late Yallappa, Residing at No.287, 6th Main, 2nd Cross, Near Ambedkar Samudhaya Bhavan, Begur, Bommanahalli, Bengaluru-560 068 ...PETITIONERS
AND: The Commissioner, Registrar of Births and Deaths, BBMP, Bengaluru ...RESPONDENT
PAPER PUBLICATION
Whereas, the petitioner named above has filed the above petition seeking direction to register the date of death of the deceased who is the petitioner's father by name as **Yallappa S/o. Sri Junjappa and Smt. Muniyamma W/o. Late Yallappa who was died on 04/01/2016 at No. 287, 6th Main, 2nd Cross, Hongasandra, Near Ambedkar Samudhaya Bhavan, Bomanahalli, Bengaluru-560 068** and issue the direction accordingly for the death certificate.
It is required to produce the same before the concerned authorities for the purpose of getting Death Certificate and other government facilities.
Any person interested and having any objection in this matter, may appear before the above court at **11.00 a.m. on 2/5/23** to which date the case is posted for hearing.
Given under my hand and the seal of the Court this 5th day of April 2023.
By Order of the Court
Sd/- Sheristedar
XV A.C.M.M. Court, Bengaluru
Advocate for Petitioner
Smt. Ranaprabha, Advocate
No. 1, Nyanapaparnhali, Begur Main Road, Bengaluru-560 068

PUBLIC NOTICE
This is to inform and alert the general public not to deal with Sri. V. Krishnamurthy, S/o. Venkatagiriyappa, Residing at No. 44/2-A, Rayakottai Road, Hosur Town and Taluk, Krishnagiri District, Tamil Nadu alleged to be my GPA Holder under Registered General Power of Attorney dated 17-05-2022, Registration No.VRT-4-00056/2022-23, CD No.VRTD-1205, dated 18-05-2022 in respect of the Lands bearing (1) Sy. No. 6/1C Dry Ext.Hec. 0.46.0 or Acre, 1.14 Cents, Asst. Rs. 1.27 full extent, in this I/6th share Acre. 0.19 Cents; (2) Sy. No. 16/4 Dry Ext.Hec. 0.33.0 or Acre, 0.81 Cents, Asst. Rs. 0.91 full extent, in this 1/6th share Acre. 0.13 1/2 Cents; (3) Sy. No. 17/2B Dry Ext.Hec. 0.28.0 or Acre, 0.69 Cents, Asst. Rs. 1.27 full extent, in this I/6th share Acre. O.NA Cents; as the said General Power of Attorney has been cancelled / revoked by issuance of Legal Notice dated **05.04.2023** through my counsels.
Inspite of this notice, if anybody deals or do any transactions with the aforesaid person in respect of the aforesaid property, the same is illegal and void, and you will be doing so at your own risk and costs.
Sd/- V. DURAI SAMY, S/o. Late Vannappa, Mothukulapalli Village, Shoolagiri Post, Hosur Taluk, Krishnagiri District.

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NOTIFICATION
SHIFTING OF OUR BANASWADI BRANCH (10459)
We would like to draw the attention of Customers, Depositors, Locker Holders, Well Wishers and Public that our existing **Banaswadi Branch** will be shifted to new premises on **15.04.2023 at 9.30 am (Tentatively)** Customers and Account Holders are requested to extend co-operation and to continue their banking relationship with us.
OLD ADDRESS
Banaswadi Branch, No. 586, Srinivasa Nilaya, Erappa Layout, Banaswadi Main Road, Bangalore - 560043
NEW ADDRESS
#118, 4th Cross, OMBR Layout, Banaswadi, Bangalore - 560043
(Note: Locker holders are requested to take off their valuables from locker temporarily, if required and to redeposit the same after shifting).
Sd/- Chief Manager

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RURAL WORKS CIRCLE, BARIPADA
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"e" Procurement Notice for Road Work
Identification No.- Online Tender- Road N.C.B. No. 276 for 2022-23.
O-20 Letter No. 2030 / Date. 04.04.2023 //
1. Name of the work :- Road Works in the District of Mayurbhanj for the year 2022-23.
2. Total No. of work :- 02 Nos. (Two)
3. Estimated Cost :- **Rs. 244.58 Lakhs to Rs. 312.31 Lakhs** (approximately).
4. Eligible Class of Contractor :- As per annexure.
5. Period of Completion :- As per annexure.
6. Other details :-

Procurement Officer	Bid Identification No.	Availability of tender On-line for bidding: From	Availability of tender On-line for bidding: To	Last Date & Time of seeking Tender Clarification.	Date & Time of Opening of Tender in O/O C.C.E.R.W. Circle, Baripada: Technical Bid	Financial Bid
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Chief Construction Engineer, Rural Works Circle, Baripada	Road On-line N.C.B. No.276	Dt.08.04.2023 at 11.00 A.M.	Dt.24.04.2023 up to 5.00 P.M.	Dt.21.04.2023 up to 5.00 P.M.	Dt.25.04.2023 at 11.00 A.M.	Will be intimated later

- Further details can be seen from the website: www.tendersodisha.gov.in.
- Any Corrigendum / Addendum will be displayed in the above e_tender website only.

OIPR-25014/11/0002/2324 Sd/- Chief Construction Engineer, R.W. Circle, Baripada.

PUBLIC NOTICE
Notice is hereby given to public that my client Sri. Rajendra Prasad Sharma, states that
1.Sale deed dated 05-03-2009 executed by M/s. Nandhini Constructions Rep. by its partners Mr. N Ananda, Mrs. Lakshmi Ananda, Mr. Rupesh Ananda and M/s. Nandhini Builders Private Limited Rep. by its Director Mr. N Ananda in favour of Mr. Roopesh Kumar, vide document No. JPN-1-6230/2008-09 Registered at the office of the sub- registrar J.P Nagar Bangalore
2.Sale certificate dated. 21-04-2017 Executed by Dewan Housing Finance Corporation Limited in favour of Mr. Gopi Lahoti, vide document No. JAY-1-597/20017-18 Registered at the office of the sub- registrar Jayanagar Bangalore.
The said two Registered Documents are lost. If anybody get any information about the said documentin the possession of the same/having any claim/interest in the schedule property may write/contact to the undersigned within 15 days with documentary proof failing which my clients will treat the certified copy of the said document as original and objections received thereafter is not binding upon my client.
SCHEDULE PROPERTY
All that piece and parcel of the property bearing Flat No. G- 004, Ground Floor, "NANDHINI LAKEVIEW" Apartment, having Super built up area 1030 sq ft & UDS 344 sq ft, constructed at bearing Site No. 1,2,3,4 Katha No. 21/1,2,3,4 Presently BBMP Katha No. 22/21/22/1,2,3,4 Puttenahalli Village, Uttharahalli Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk & Bounded on:
East by : Private Property. West by : Private Property.
North by : Road. South by : Private Property.
POORNIMA .K.S, Advocate.
2710, 6th Main, 2nd Stage, K.S. Layout, Bangalore-560 078. Mobile No. 9886244736

Government of Odisha
"e" Procurement Notice
O-15 Bid Identification No.: Online-AGL-01 of 2023-2024
1. Name of the Work : Building Work
2. Estimated Cost : Rs. 230.00 lakhs
3. Period of Completion : 06 (Six) Calendar Months
4. Date & time of availability of bid document in the portal : From 06.04.2023 to 14.04.2023 upto 5.00 P.M
5. Last Date/time for receipt of bids In the portal : 14.04.2023 upto 5.00 P.M.
6. Name & Address of the OIT : Executive Engineer, Rural Works Division, Angul
Further details can be seen from the Govt. website www.tendersorissa.gov.in
Sd/- Executive Engineer R.W. Division, Angul
OIPR-25096/11/0002/2324

PUBLIC NOTICE
Public are informed that my client **Mr. Lakshminarayan.T.K** s/o Krishnappa R/at ward no.4, kumbeshwara layout, Malur town, hereby informs that the property Khata No.7815/105 the original rectification deed written by Srinivasappa s/o Krishnappa to Yarab Beig s/o Amirjan dated 29/04/2014 bearing Doc no. **MLR-1-00611/2014- 15 of book no.1 CD no.102** in the office of SRO Malur which have been lost/misplaced at malur bus stand dated 15/03/2023, 5:10 PM my client has also lodged police compliant no 0508854/2023 and 21/03/2023, I request any persons in possession of the afore said document may return same to me
M. Chikkathimmarayappa Advocate Vasu Building, near court complex, karanji extension, Malur town, Cont No: 9448733201

IN THE COURT OF PRINCIPAL CITY CIVIL AND SESSIONS JUDGE, COMMERCIAL COURT,AT BANGALORE (CCH 90)
CASE NO: COM. A.A. NO. 337/2022
Between :
M/s. Aditya Birla Housing Finance Limited
Rep by its Authorised Officer
Mr.Mahesh S Having HO office at A-4, Aditya Birla Centre, S K AhireMarg, Worli Mumbai- interalia and branch office at Star Avenue No.78, 3rd floor, 6th cross street, Victoria Road, Beside Vijaya Bank, Bangalore -560025 ....Petitioner
And
Mr.Tej Mariyappa & Others ....Respondents
TO
M/s. LGGCL Properties Private Limited
A company Incorporated under the provisionsof companies Act, 1956, Having its office at no.12/1, Rest House, Bangalore- 560 001. **Represented by its Managing Director**
Whereas, the above named Petitioner has filed a Arbitration Arbitration Appeal under Section – 9 (ii) c of the Arbitration and Conciliation Act, 1996 in the above case against you and also filed an application under section 9 of the said act restraining all of you from alienating or otherwise dispose off the application schedule property. The Honourable Court after hearing on I.A has granted ad-interim Temporary Injunction against all the respondents in respect of schedule B and C properties in Commercial A.A no.337/2022 and the same is pending adjudication in Court Hall no.90, before LXXXIX Addl.City Civil and Sessions Judge, Commercial Court, Bangaluru.
You are hereby summoned to appear before the Honourable Court on 11th April 2023 at 11:00 AM, to answer the same,if failed the suit will be decided in your absence, exparte.
Given under my hand and seal of the court this the 10th day of march 2023
SCHEDULE OF THE PROPERTIES
SCHEDULE – A. : All that piece and parcel of residentially converted lands bearing Sy. No. 36/2, measuring 37 Guntas, Sy. No. 36/3, measuring 18.7 Guntas, Sy. No. 40/2, measuring 1 Acre 00.3 Guntas and Sy. No. 36/4, measuring 1 Acre 3 Guntas in total measuring 3 Acres 19 Guntas, all situated at Naganathapura Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk and **bounded on:** East by: Land bearing survey No. 35, remaining portion of Survey No. 36/3 and land bearing Survey No. 40/1, West by: Land bearing Survey No. 36/1, 39 and 41, North by: Land bearing Survey No. 40/1, South by: Remaining portion of Survey No. 36/3 and Doddanagamangala Village Border and Road
SCHEDULE – B : All that piece and parcel of undivided share of land admeasuring about 2718.13 Square Feet morefully mentioned and described in the Schedule 'A' herein above.
SCHEDULE – C : A Row house bearing No. 10 in the Residential Complex known as 'LGGC Pueblo' tobe constructed on the Schedule 'A' Property and having a super built up area of2652 square feet with exclusive right to use 750 square feet of Terrace Area and450.80 Square Feet of Garden Area and **bounded below:** East by : Road, West by : Boundary of the Property, North by : Row House No. 11, South by : Row House No. 9.
City Civil Court ,
ADVOCATES
Commercial Court, Bangaluru
FX & CO.,
City Civil Court , ADVOCATES
Commercial Court, Bangaluru. New no.9, Old no.11/1, Gover Road, Cox town, Bangaluru – 560 005

ODISHA MINING CORPORATION LIMITED
OMC House, Bhubaneswar-751001,Odisha
CIN: U13100OR1956SGC000313, www.omcltd.in
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CAD-38 **NOTICE INVITING REQUEST FOR PROPOSAL (RFP)**
RfP. No.10/OMC/CIVIL/2023 **Dated: 05.04.2023**
1. Request for Proposal (RFP) for the following work is invited from empanelled Consultants of OMC under category "Preparation of DPR for building Projects", "Supervision of all types of buildings including steel structure projects", "Preparation of DPR for road projects", "Preparation of DPR for bridge projects" & Supervision of Road & bridge projects" on-line through the e-procurement portal of Govt. of Odisha.

#	Name of Project	EMD (in Rs .)	Bid Processing Fee in Rupees	Period of Services
1	Selection of Consultant ForProviding 3rd Party quality control of different infrastructure projects of OMC Ltd of **Bhubaneswar** and **Khondalite** region and **Rayagada** Region	10,000/-	6,000/- plus 18% GST	36 (Thirty six) Months
2	Selection of Consultant ForProviding 3rd Party quality control of different infrastructure projects of OMC Ltd of **Bangur** region, **Chrome** region and **Daitari** Region	10,000/-	6,000/- plus 18% GST	36 (Thirty six) Months
3	Selection of Consultant ForProviding 3rd Party quality control of different infrastructure projects of OMC Ltd of **Gandhamardan** region and **Koira** Region	10,000/-	6,000/- plus 18% GST	36 (Thirty six) Months
4	Selection of Consultant ForProviding 3rd Party quality control of different infrastructure projects of OMC Ltd of **Barbil** Region	10,000/-	6,000/- plus 18% GST	36 (Thirty six) Months

2. The bidders must participate in on-line bidding at the site: https://www.tendersodisha.gov.in
3. Bid documents will be available in the above website from 11.04.2023 to 25.04.2023 up to 5.00PM
4. Last date and time for on-line submission of bid in web portal is 25.04.2023 till 5.00 PM.
5. The tender will be opened on 26.04.2023 at 11.00 AM
6. The bidder must possess compatible Digital Signature Certificate (DSC) of Class-II or Class-III.
All other details can be seen from RFP Document at https://www.tendersodisha.gov.in.
Odisha Mining Corporation Limited reserves the right to reject any or all RFPs received without assigning any reasons thereof.
OIPR-30005/11/0003/2324 Sd/- CGM (Civil)

IN THE COURT OF THE HON'BLE VII ADDL. DIS. JUDGE, SANGA REDDY
AT : SANGAREDDY
O.S. No. 11 of 2020
Between:
Mr. Ajay Kumar Modi and others Rep. by their SPA Holders
Mr. Gajender Kumar Gupta .. Petitioners / Plaintiffs
AND
Kalapadruma Farms & Plantations Limited, Rep. by its Managing Director, Mr. D.C. Naik and 49 others .. Respondents /Defendants
NOTICE
To
Smt. Shailaja, W/o. Aravind Kumar K, R/o. H.No. #03, 1st Floor, Gopal Building, Kudlu Main Road, Near Kudlu Bus Stop, Kudlu Bengalure (K.S) - 560068. ... Defendant No.28
Please take notice that Plaintiff has filed suit for Declaration of Title, Recovery of possession and for Declaration of certain Documents as null and void in respect of Sy.No. 71, Adm. Ac. 10-00 Gts., Sy. No. 71, Adm. Ac. 10-00 Gts. & Sy. No. 72 Adm. Ac. 10-00 Gts., Total Adm. Ac. 30:00 Gts., situated at Hussalli (V), & G.P. Nyalkal Mandal, Medak Dist., Vide O.S. No. 11 of 2020, also filed an I.A. No. 413 of 2020 and I.A. No. 414 of 2020 in O.S. No. 11 of 2020 on file of the Hon'ble VII Addl. Dist. Judge At: Sangareddy, which is posted on 13-04-2023 at 10:30 hours for your notice and appearance in person or through counsel. If Defendant No. 28 fails to appear on the said date and time the matter will be decided adversely.
// As per the order of Hon'ble court//
Syed Ehtesham, B.A. LL.B., LL.M.
Advocate
Toichowki, Hyderabad.
Cell : 92470 96241

WORKS DEPARTMENT
OFFICE OF THE SUPERINTENDING ENGINEER.
BHADRAK (R&B) DIVISION
e-mail: - bhadrakrnbdivision@gmail.com
Government of Odisha "e" Procurement Notice
Bid Identification No.EE (R&B) BDK- 1 /2023-2024
B-26 NO-2024/ dt. 03.04.2023
Nature of work:- Building Work
1. Number of works :- **1(One) No Building**
2. Amount put to Tender : - Rs. 214.18 Lakh
3. Class of Contractor :- **"A" 'B'**
4. Date & Time of availability of Bid document in the portal : - 11.04.2023 at 11.00 AM
5. Last Date /Time of receipt of bid in the portal : - 20.04.2023 up to 05.00 PM
6. Date of opening of bid : Dt, 21.04.2023 at 11.30 AM
7. Name & address of the Office inviting bid : - **Superintending Engineer, Bhadrak (R&B) Division**
8. The bidders have to participate in ONLINE bidding only. Further details can be seen from the e-procurement portal **"http//tendersodisha.gov.in."** All future corrigendum will be available on **ONLINE** mode only.
Sd/- Executive Engineer, Bhadrak (R&B) Division
OIPR-34079/11/0001/2324

PUBLIC NOTICE
This is to inform the general public at large that, my client Sri. T. Neelakantappa Son of Bayappa, aged about 68 years, presently residing at No. 629, 3rd Cross, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bengaluru - 560 034 that, my client is the absolute owner of the Site No. 629, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 60 feet, situated at 3rd Cross, 3rd Block, Koramangala, Bengaluru - 560 034, my client lost the (1) sale deed dated 25.08.1994, registered as Document No. 3602/1994-95, (2) sale deed dated 14.09.1994 registered as Document No. 4042/1994-95 (3) registered Will dated 24.09.1991, (4) Khatha transfer certificate issued by BMP on 20.06.1999, that the documents have been lost on 31.03.2023 at Koramangala when took a Xerox copies at Xerox shop at that time my client lost the above said documents, in this regarding my client lodge a police complaint in the jurisdictional Bengaluru City Police, Bengaluru, vide Lost report No. 0523277/2023, dated 04.04.2023. If any person/s finds the above said documents in original may contact the undersigned and those person/s will be rewarded suitably and if any person/s misutilizes same in any manner will be prosecuted as per the law.
Sd/- **V. Ananda**, Advocate
Office at No.3, 2nd Floor, LDS Arcade, Cubbonpet, Bengaluru-560 002.
Mobile No. 9845801840
Email : v.ananda169@gmail.com

Market Watch

MARKET			GOLD			SILVER			FOREX		
582.87 ▲	Sensex	59,689.31	₹950 ▲	22 Carat (10 gm)	₹56,400	₹24.90 ▲	10 gm	₹770.90	▼ Dollar		81.90
159.00 ▲	Nifty	17,557.05	₹1,030 ▲	24 carat (10 gm)	₹61,510	₹2,490 ▲	1 kg	₹77,090	▼ Euro		89.63

Hero MotoCorp launches VRS for employees

Applicable to all staff, offer includes one-time lump-sum, variable pay, medical coverage, among other benefits

ARSHAD KHAN @ New Delhi

HERO MOTOCORP on Wednesday announced launching a voluntary retirement scheme (VRS) for its staff, which it calls has been designed in line with the vision to make the organisation agile and 'future-ready', consolidating roles and reducing layers to increase empowerment and agility.

This decision by the country's top two-wheeler maker comes a week after appointing Niranjan Gupta as the new Chief Executive Officer (CEO) of the company, elevating him from his current position as its Chief Financial Officer (CFO), Head - Strategy and M&A.

"We expect this (the VRS) to improve efficiency within the company through a lean and more productive organisation," said Hero MotoCorp in a statement. The VRS is applicable to all its staff members and according to Hero, it will offer a generous package that includes – among other benefits - a one-time lump-sum amount, variable pay, gifts, medical coverage, retention of company car, relocation assistance, career support etc.

The company has six facilities in India, and one each in Bangladesh and Columbia.

According to Hero's annual report, the number of permanent employees on the rolls as of March 31, 2022, was 9,173 (previous year 8,793) including workers defined under the Factories Act, 1948. Hero had said its employee cost has grown nominally by 1.9% due to an increase in counts and the impact of annual increments.

Hero spent a total of ₹1,935 crore in employee benefits in financial year 2021-2022 (FY22), up from ₹1,899 crore in FY21. Its total expense in FY22 was reported at ₹26,552 crore.

Gupta's appointment as the CEO of the company was seen as a long pending move as many believed that there is a need for Hero to rope in more professionals to run the company more efficiently. Hero has changed the leadership team, in the last two years, who were earlier reporting to Chairman Pawan Munjal.

RIL secures $5 bn back-to-back loans from foreign banks

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

MUKESH AMBANI-led Reliance Industries (RIL) has secured $5 billion in back-to-back foreign currency loans.

Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd, a unit of RIL, secured the $2 billion add-on facility on Tuesday with same terms as its recent $3 billion syndicated loan. The oil-to-telecom conglomerate last week raised $3 billion from 55 banks and its telecom arm secured additional credit of $2 billion from 18 banks.

As per industry insiders, the new loan will carry the same terms as the $3 billion borrowing signed on March 31 with 55 lenders, including 40 that joined in two phases of syndication. According to the industry insiders, the funds will mainly be allocated towards RIL's capital expenditures and Jio's nationwide 5G expansion.

"Eighteen banks, including the 15 senior MLABs (mandated lead arrangers and bookrunners) of the $3 billion loan and others joining in the senior phase, are expected to form the syndicate for the $2 billion add-on, which is split equally for RIL and Jio, and is likely to be wrapped up by the end of the month," said sources.

According to the people known to the development, the conglomerate is one of the most sought-after for credits and enjoys deep banking relationships. They said this was visible from the response to the $3 billion loan and also from the reception the $2 billion add-on has already received.

"The decision to raise another $2 billion stems from the overwhelming response from the market as lenders remain hungry for the blue-chip group that has not been active in the syndicated loan market in recent years," they added. Nearly a third, $927 million of the allocations, came from 19 Taiwanese banks that dominated the final list of lenders in the syndicate, while another eight from Japan it took $276.36 million combined.

'Vi's inability to raise fund can lead to duopoly'

NEW DELHI: The inability to raise funds by debt-laden telecom operator Vodafone Idea (Vi) can lead to duopoly in the Indian telecom market and that could negatively impact consumers, said a report by data and analytics company GlobalData. The report also suggested that the government should intervene to ensure that there is healthy competition in the telecom market and that consumers have access to high-quality, affordable services. "The government may need to intervene to ensure there is healthy competition in the market. Survival of Vi is necessary to avoid a duopoly in Indian 5G market," said Charan Padala, Principal Analyst at GlobalData. *ENS*

'Reserve Bank likely to change stance to neutral'

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

THE Reserve Bank of India (RBI) Monetary Policy Committee (MPC) is widely expected to hike repo rate by another 25 basis points on Thursday.

While the decision of RBI on repo rate is keenly awaited; economists, bankers and other stakeholders will be keeping a close watch on the views of RBI Governor Shaktikanta Das on the stance of the central bank, going forward. Experts expect the central bank to change its current stance of withdrawal of accommodation to neutral as liquidity deficit in the banking system is likely to increase during the April- June quarter. The change in stance is also crucial for the market and the broader economy as the neutral stance will signal that there would not be more rate hikes in the current calendar year.

"The change to neutral stance will be due to a couple of factors. First, there is already paucity of liquidity in the system which will continue into April. Therefore, the stance cannot be withdrawal of accommodation," Madan Sabnavis, Chief Economist, Bank of Baroda told this newspaper. "Second, by changing the stance to neutral the message conveyed will be that we are at the end of the cycle of increasing rates. Third, the signal will also be to let the market know that liquidity will be provided to ensure stability," he added.

If the RBI sticks to its stance of withdrawal of accommodation, it would be an indication of further rate hikes. Even at the last meeting, the market was expecting a change of stance

Promoters may infuse ₹2,800 cr before disinvestment of HURL

MONIKA YADAV @ New Delhi

THE promoters of Hindustan Urvarak and Rasayan Ltd (HURL), which comes under fertlizer ministry, are mulling to raise ₹2,800 crore via equity infusion before submitting its proposal for disinvestment to the Department of Investment and Public Asset Monetization (DIPAM), a top government source told this newspaper.

The funds will be used to meet the additional expenditure required for completion of the three projects at Sindri, Gorakhpur and Barauni. As per sources, there is a variation of about 32% in total original cost of the project and in the present estimated cost. All the three plants had commenced their operation last year and are operating at 95-105% capacity.

"Promoters will finance the cost overrun. The company's board had recommended the cost overrun proposal in March-end. The board will likely approve it on April 6," the official said. "The board had recently reviewed the disinvestment proposal of HURL and it was suggested by the promoters that the disinvestment proposal of the company should be sent only after the equity infusion for cost overrun," he further said. "In the meantime, HURL is preparing a draft of joint memo for submission to DIPAM," he stated.

HURL was incorporated on June 15, 2016, as a joint venture company by Coal India (CIL), NTPC and Indian Oil Corporation (IOCL) as the lead promoters with Fertilizer Corporation of India (FCIL) and Hindustan Fertilizer Corporation Limited (HFCL) as other two partners. The lead three promoters hold a total of 89% equity share with equal partnership, while FCIL and HFCL together have the balance 11% share against their usable assets, opportunity cost and use of land on lease basis at the three plant locations. The Ministry of Power and the Ministry of Coal have already granted their in-principle approval for the disinvestment. Meanwhile, boards of NTPC, IOC and CIL have also approved the proposal of privatisation.

Reliance Retail ropes in former Amul chief RS Sodhi

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

RELIANCE RETAIL, the retail arm of Reliance Industries (RIL), has hired RS Sodhi, former MD of Gujarat Cooperative Milk Marketing Federation (GCMMF) which retails the Amul brand.

An industry veteran, Sodhi was associated with GCMMF for more than four decades. He stepped down from his role in January 2023. Sodhi is likely to help Reliance Retail build and upscale its grocery vertical and help increase reach of its consumer brands. He might join Mukesh Ambani's Reliance Retail as an advisor. Reliance has been expanding its reach in the FMCG vertical. Last month it officially launched the 'cola war' against US-based beverage giants- Coca-Cola and PepsiCo - with the relaunch of once renowned Campa brand. In recent times it has launched a range of products in the home and personal care spaces.

Reliance launches beauty retail platform Tira

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Bengaluru

WITH its new offering Tira, an omni-channel beauty retail platform, Reliance Retail is now directly competing with other well-known platforms such as Nykaa and Tata CLiQ Palette.

The online beauty and personal care industry in India is huge as the market size likely to reach about $6 billion in 2025, according to Statista.

Founded in 2012, Nykaa offers over 4,500 brands via its website and mobile app. Over the years, it has built a loyal community of millions of beauty and fashion enthusiasts. Nykaa has already built its offline presence.

Last year alone it opened 45 new stores. Falguni Nayar, MD and CEO, Nykaa, recently said they will launch 50 stores over next four quarters. Tata CLiQ is slowly growing its presence in cosmetics and beauty products.

Apart from launching Tira app and website, Reliance Retail also announced opening of Tira store in Mumbai. Isha Ambani, executive director of RRVL, said, "With Tira, we aim to break down barriers in the beauty space and democratise beauty for consumers across segments. Our vision for Tira is to be the leading beauty destination for accessible yet aspirational beauty."

Sensex, Nifty rally 1% despite weak global cues

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

BEATING weak global cues following the release of weaker-than-expected US economic data, India's equity market benchmarks- BSE Sensex and NSE Nifty – rallied 1% on Wednesday.

The fresh surge comes a day before the RBI will announce the outcome of its latest policy meeting. Street estimates the central bank to announce a 25-basis point rate hike in its policy announcement on Thursday and then take a pause.

Sensex surged 583 points, or 0.99%, to settle at 59,689 on Wednesday, while broader Nifty50 rallied 159 points or 0.91% to settle at 17,557. This is the fourth straight session when the two indices have clocked gain. During this period, Sensex has surged over 2,000 points and investors' wealth witnessed an appreciation of ₹9.45 lakh crore as market capitalisation of BSE-listed firms rose to ₹261.31 lakh crore on Wednesday. "The domestic market is displaying resilience, unaffected by the weaker global peers, thanks to strong banks and NBFCs quarterly numbers and the windfall tax cut," said Vinod Nair, head of research at Geojit Financial Services. The recent US data revealed a softening in the labour market and falling factory orders, increasing the likelihood of a pause in rate hikes by the Federal Reserve, he added.

Wednesday's rally was by HDFC twins, which rallied about 3% each. Financials stocks were in high demand after data indicated strong deposit growth and loan disbursements in the March-ended quarter. Investors have turned bullish ahead of the March quarter earnings season, which begins next week with heavyweights TCS, Infosys, and HDFC Bank announcing their numbers. Besides HDFC twins, Larsen & Toubro gained over 4% after its hydrocarbon business bagged 'mega' order from the Middle East. ITC, Hindustan Unilever, Grasim and Sun Pharma rose 2% each.

TOPPERS OF THE DAY

Stocks	LTP	%gain
L&T	2,257	3.96
HDFC	2,705.50	2.98
HDFC Bank	1,654.10	2.72
Sun Pharma	996.75	1.93
ITC	386.25	1.93

LTP: Last traded price

Four companies get Sebi's approval to launch IPOs

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ Mumbai

FOUR companies including Rashi Peripherals, Cyient DLM, Healthvista India and Zaggle Prepaid Ocean Services have received approval of the Securities and Exchange Board of India (Sebi) to raise funds through initial public offering (IPO).

These companies filed their preliminary IPO papers with the regulator between July 2022 and January 2023 and obtained its observation during March 29-31. The issuance of the observation letter for draft red herring prospectus for any IPO filed by the company implies the go-ahead from the market regulator for its proposed fund raising via IPO.

The equity shares of these four companies will be listed on the BSE and NSE.

According to the draft papers, IT solutions provider Rashi Peripherals' IPO is entirely fresh issue of equity shares worth ₹750 crore with no offer for sale (OFS) component.

Of the IPO proceeds, funds worth ₹400 crore will be utilised for payment of debt and ₹200 crore for funding working capital requirements and general corporate purposes.

The IPO of electronic manufacturing services firm Cyient DLM is purely a fresh issue of equity shares to the tune of Rs740 crore with no OFS component.

IPOs ON THE ANVIL

- Rashi Peripherals plans to raise **₹750 crore**
- Zaggle Prepaid Ocean Services plans to raise **₹750 crore**
- Cyient DLM plans to raise **₹740 crore**
- Healthvista India plans to **₹200 crore**

CIL to supply 610MT coal in '24

ENS ECONOMIC BUREAU @ New Delhi

COAL INDIA LTD (CIL), country's largest coal producer is aiming to supply 610 million tonne (MT) coal to power plants in the current fiscal.

In the last financial year 2022-23, CIL supplied a record 586.6 MT coal to power plants. "CIL supply to power sector is pegged at 610 MT to meet demand of coal fired plants in FY24. This is 23.4 MT more or 4% higher than the record 586.6 MT supplied in FY23," CIL said in a statement. In the wake of forecasts that a hot summer may push up coal demand, CIL said it is gearing itself to meet requirement on the back of adequate coal stocks at its pitheads and increased production in the first quarter of FY24. "With increasing production and adequate coal stock of 69 MTs at our pitheads, we aim to meet the projected target with our best shot and satiate demand," said a senior executive of the company.

Reliance Digital official partner of Mumbai Indians

India's most trusted electronics brand, Reliance Digital, has announced its partnership with Mumbai Indians (MI) as the lead trouser partner on the kits. With this partnership, Reliance Digital is aiming to widen its reach and establish a sense of belonging among fans, since cricket appeals to a majority of Indians, irrespective of age. This way, it also encourages India to be friends with technology and use it to improve their lives.

Business & Beyond

POWERGRID wins 3 SPVs through TBCB for transmission system projects

Gurugram: Power Grid Corporation of India (POWERGRID), a Maharatna CPSU under Ministry of Power, on March 28, 2023, acquired 3 Project Special Purpose Vehicles (SPVs) for various Transmission System Projects after competing with various private sector players and emerging as successful bidder in Tariff Based Competitive Bidding process (TBCB) conducted by PFC Consulting Limited as per the Guidelines notified by Government of India.

GRSE signs contract for 4 NGOPVs : Order book surges

Kolkata: Garden Reach Shipbuilders & Engineers Ltd. (GRSE), a Miniratna Category 1, Defence PSU, signed a contract with the Ministry of Defence for construction of 04 Next Generation offshore Patrol Vesselson 30 March 2023. The Total Project Cost of 04 GRSE Vessels is around `3500/- cr. The first Vessel is to be delivered within 44 months from Contract Signing and subsequent Vessels at 06 months intervals.

Kolkata Airport launches Digi Yatra

From 31st March 2023 onwards, passengers travelling from Netaji Subhas Chandra Bose International Airport, Kolkata can use Digi Yatra. Digi Yatra policy is an initiative launched by Ministry of Civil Aviation for biometric boarding system using Facial Recognition Technology. It aims at providing seamless and hassle-free experience for passengers at airports.

KIIT placement: Student bags ₹62 lakh job offer

KIIT Deemed University, Bhubaneswar, saw a jump in average pay package in campus placement drive for 2023 graduating batch of Schools of Technology. Average CTC has crossed `8.5 lakh, while the highest has touched `62 lakh, taking KIIT in the league of top national Institutes in terms of pay offered to the students in campus placement.

Dhoni among 5 Indians to get MCC life membership

The prestigious Marylebone Cricket Club (MCC) housed at the iconic Lord's cricket ground, on Wednesday, gave 'Life Membership' to World Cup-winning captain Mahendra Singh Dhoni along with four other distinguished India internationals. The other include, Yuvraj Singh, Suresh Raina, former women's national captain Mithali Raj and Jhulan Goswami.

ACTC meetings pending, athletes forced to fend for themselves

FIROZ MIRZA @Chennai

AS many as 15 men rowers will represent the country at the World Cup scheduled in Croatia from May 5 to 7. All of them are camping at the Army Rowing Node (ARN) in Pune. Everything went on well till March 31 but since then the rowers have not received their supplement allowances, which is Rs 490/day/athlete. The situation is likely to continue for at least a week as the Rowing Federation of India's (RFI) ACTC (annual calendar for training and competition) meeting is scheduled on April 12 and the ongoing camp can be sanctioned only in that meeting.

"Every athlete gets 690/day for diet and Rs 490/day for supplements. This has stopped since the end of the financial year 2022-23 as the camp for 2023-24 can only be sanctioned during the ACTC. A meeting with the Sports Authority of India (SAI) had already been held but the presentation done by the RFI couldn't impress the officials. The federation will meet them again on April 12," a RFI source told this daily.

A total of 28 men rowers are camping in Pune while 18 women rowers are camping in Hyderabad. All of them are facing the same problem. "We are not getting the supplement allowance since April 1. We are managing with the leftovers from the previous cycle. A few of us are also spending from our own pockets as we were told that the expenses incurred will be reimbursed once the meeting is over and camp is sanctioned," said one of the rowers.

Unfortunately, there has been concerns regarding release of funding for quite some time. Some of the National Sports Federations (NSFs) have not received money for hosting nationals even. It is understood that the sports ministry has stopped funding under assistance to NSFs head apparently due to some court order last year. Though camps and everything had been sanctioned in the last ACTC, the release of funds has been a concern.

"We have organised national championships and other meets but the process has become complicated. While the SAI makes payments directly to vendors but a few big expenditures are made directly by the NSFs. If these payments get delayed, NSFs get in trouble. Apart from this, teams also attend international tournaments. Those expenses are also pending," said an office-bearer of one of the NSFs. As far as RFI camps are concerned, the dietary requirements are being managed on goodwill. "We are getting diet on credit. These caterers have been serving our campers for a long time so at the moment they don't mind providing food to our athletes. But the situation can go out of hand if the camps are not sanctioned soon. It can also affect performance in the upcoming World Cup," added the RFI source.

All the selected rowers are scheduled to appear in the visa interviews soon. Like them, athletes from other federations are also preparing for vital events like Olympic qualifiers and Asian Games. Such issues could have a lasting effect on their performances which in turn may take a toll on India's show at the 2024 Paris Olympics.

Full story: newindianexpress.com

Openers' half-centuries and Ellis' four-for seal last-over thriller for Punjab against Rajasthan

Kings stand tall in battle till death

Shikhar Dhawan started off watchfully and went on to score bulk of the runs for Punjab Kings in the IPL match against Rajasthan Royals in Guwahati | SPORTZPICS

GOMESH S @ Chennai

WHEN it was announced that the Assam Cricket Association Stadium in Barsapara, Guwahati will be hosting a couple of Indian Premier League games as Rajasthan Royals home ground, one thing was clear — they were going to be a run-fest.

After all, apart from the venue's debut international game in 2017, all three of the completed games were high-scoring contests. India chased 320-odd runs in 42.1 overs against West Indies in 2018, scored 373 against Sri Lanka earlier in January, and almost failed to defend 237 against South Africa in a T20I last year.

The clash between Royals and Punjab Kings on Wednesday was expected to be no different. And that is exactly what happened as Shikhar Dhawan and Prabhsimran Singh set the ball rolling from the very first over.

While Dhawan held one end to play the anchor role as he has in the past few years, Singh took on the RR bowlers. He launched Trent Boult over mid-off, smacked KM Asif into the square-leg stands before hitting the right-arm pacer for 19 runs in his second over.

Over the next few overs no RR bowler was spared — Boult, Yuzvendra Chahal, Jason Holder were all at the receiving end of Singh's carnage. The 22-year-old was lighting up the stage so much that social media went berserk. The PBKS management, however, was not one to be surprised. For they were the one to sign him for ₹4.8 crore in the 2019 auction when he was just 18. While he did not get a consistent run — Singh played five games over the next three years — they had backed him and picked him again in the 2022 auction. Last year, too, he played just one game with a heavy batting at the top. This year, however, Jonny Bairstow's injury came as a blessing in disguise as Singh was asked to open the batting. The 22-year-old repaid the faith with a swashbuckling 60 off just 34 balls on Wednesday before holing out in the deep off Holder's bowling.

Once Singh got out, Dhawan kept the momentum going along with Jitesh Sharma. Sharma hit Chahal over extra-cover for back-to-back boundaries before Dhawan sent the leggie over long-on. The 37-year-old employed all the shots there is, scooping Asif, sweeping and reverse sweeping Chahal to all sides of the ground. The only bowler who was able to keep things quiet was Ashwin, who finished with 1/25 in his four overs.

Even as wickets fell at the other end, Dhawan smashed an unbeaten 86 off 56 balls, helping his side get to 197/4. As expected RR came close to chasing down the target before falling short by five rune. However, what remains a fact is that a 37-year-old and a 22-year-old have come together to put on a show for PBKS this season and it seems like there is no stopping them at the moment.

Brief scores: Punjab Kings 197/4 in 20 ovs (Dhawan 86 n.o, Singh 60; Holder 2/29) **bt** Rajasthan Royals 192/7 in 20 ovs (Samson 42, Hetmyer 36; Ellis 4/30).

TODAY'S TIE

Kolkata face Royal challenge

AN INJURY-RIDDEN KOLKATA KNIGHT RIDERS TAKE ON ROYAL CHALLENGERS BANGALORE IN KOLKATA. A LOOK...

KOHLI VS NARINE

Virat Kohli lit up the opening game of the season for RCB with a match-winning knock. The former skipper, it seems, have found his mojo through this year. But against KKR, he will have a challenge in Narine. Should the spinner come out all guns blazing, it will make for an interesting contest.

PRESSURE ON RUSSELL

Andre Russell is their biggest match-winner for half a decade now. However, the West Indian has blown hot and cold and in a season where KKR has lot quite a few players to injury, his form becomes all the more important for the franchise to have a season to remember.

ROY SIGNED BY KKR

KKR have signed England opener Jason Roy for the rest of the tournament. Roy, who went unsold in auction, would be expected to play an explosive role at the top, especially with Shreyas Iyer getting ruled out for the rest of the season.

Kolkata Knight Riders vs Royal Challengers Bangalore, 7.30 PM

Live on Star Sports and Jio Cinema

UNSOLVED CASE

ITF set to resume tennis in China with no word on Peng Shua

AP @ Tokyo

THE International Tennis Federation will play tournaments this year in China with no word of a resolution to the case of Chinese doubles player Peng Shuai.

Peng disappeared from public view shortly after accusing a former high-ranking Communist Party official — in a web posting in November of 2021 — of sexual assault.

The ITF, which conducts tournaments below the elite level in its World Tennis Tour, lists its first tournament in China on June 5-11 at Luzhou. The ITF's last full season in China was 2019, prior to Covid-19.

"The ITF anticipates a resumption of tournament activity within China for each of the ITF Tours later this year," the ITF said in a statement. The WTA, which runs the sport's top-tier women's events, hasn't announced if it will resume staging tournaments in China.

In late 2021, WTA Chairman and CEO Steve Simon announced that the WTA would be suspending all of its tournaments — including the season-ending WTA Finals — that were held in China because of concerns over Peng, costing the tour millions.

The men's ATP has scheduled several event for later this year in China. It canceled 2022 events because of Covid-19 restrictions in China. Peng gave a controlled interview a year ago during the Winter Olympics in Beijing and had dinner at the event with International Olympic Committee President Thomas Bach. She left many questions unanswered and has largely been out of public view since then.

Simon has repeatedly called for a "formal investigation" into the allegations made by Peng, and has asked to meet privately with Peng. It's not clear those conditions have been met.

In a statement announcing the ITF men's and women's tournaments returning to China, ITF President David Haggerty said the sport's world governing body had to invest in the professional events that worked as "the main artery for the top level of the game."

"As the global guardians of the game, we are passionate about providing a pathway for up and coming talent in all countries, and providing more opportunities for players to play closer to home," Haggerty said, adding that the ITF was pleased to be returning to countries such as China, Burundi, Cyprus, Trinidad & Tobago and Taiwan.

Happy to see Ruturaj's development: CSK batting coach

ASHOK VENUGOPAL @Chennai

IF you ask most coaches in the Indian Premier League who are part of various teams what are the areas that they focus on, one of the most common answers is 'power hitting'. In the T20 format things happen at a rapid pace and the last thing any team management wants is for a batter to accumulate dot balls.

However, there is no one way to achieve this goal. Batters need not necessarily have to be reliant on their power-hitting alone to make an impact. Someone like Ruturaj Gaikwad, for example, has adapted to the T20 format by expanding his range and power while sticking to his basics. The CSK opener's 52-ball 90 and 31-ball 57 in the first couple of games this season is testament to that. "He (Ruturaj) has added power to his game," says CSK batting coach Mike Hussey. "Nice to watch him play and develop his game. He has good self-awareness and knows what he needs to improve. He has a beautiful all-round game. He plays good shots and slowly adds 'power' shots to his game, making it difficult for bowlers to bowl as he plays good shots with 4's and 6's as well."

"He (Ruturaj) is definitely good enough to play in the Indian team. It's a very difficult time to get into (India team) with so many great players. And international cricket is tough, not easy. I have no doubt he can be successful at that (international) level, it will take a bit of time,

but it's part of the journey. Sometimes its a long journey, some get an opportunity but others like me take time. The great thing about Ruturaj is he has a great understanding of his game,"added the former Australian who had to wait for his time to break into the mighty Australian side during his playing days. A former CSK opener himself, Hussey believes that power-hitting is something that can be developed by any batter. "One can master the art of power-hitting by practicing more and more and getting better at it with different shots. The more you practice, you are bound to get better," said Hussey.

''I think it's a natural evolution of the game really and the players are becoming more confident. As I said earlier the players are practicing more aggressive strikes day-in and day-out and getting better and better at those. They are getting more confident and naturally their game keeps evolving. In the past, in T20 a 160 score was a win, but today the scores go higher and higher. I think it's the natural evolution of the game,'' he added.

Case in point is the Rajasthan Royals captain Sanju Samson. An aggressive batter, who has transformed into a bonafide T20 batter with focus on power-hitting. "Sanju's game was always like that (aggressive). He had a lot of power in his strokes. Yeah, he even practiced specifically in power-hitting to add new dimension to his shots and have a go at the bowlers from ball one. All players cannot be converted into power-hitters. The players must have the skill-sets to play aggressively. Having said that, even conventional players can put runs on the board like Gaikwad and Shubman Gill. I believe that both can exist,'' said Tinu Yohannan, former India player and mentor of Sanju Samson.

Prize money boost for women

ROME: The Italian Open plans to award women the same amount of prize money as men starting in 2025. When Iga Swiatek won last year's tournament on the red clay of the Foro Italico, she earned less than half of what Novak Djokovic took home for his title. Swiatek received a check for 332,260 euros ($364,000) while Djokovic was paid 836,355 euros ($916,000). Italian tennis federation president Angelo Binaghi announced the developmenet on Tuesday.

EXPRESS READ

Sabir Pasha joins AIFF as Technical Director

NEW DELHI: Former India international Syed Sabir Pasha has joined the All India Football Federation (AIFF) as its new Technical Director (TD). Pasha brings with him a lot of experience, having played and coached both at the domestic and international level for several years.

Ex-India opener, coach & curator Sudhir Naik dies

NEW DELHI: Former India opener Sudhir Naik, who played three Test matches in 1974, passed away in a Mumbai hospital on Wednesday after brief illness, confirmed Mumbai Cricket Association sources. He was 78 years old and is survived by his daughter.

Saina makes first-round exit

ORLEANS: London Olympic bronze medallist Saina Nehwal crashed out of the Orleans Masters badminton tournament with a straight-game (16-21, 14-21) first-round loss to Turkey's Neslihan Yigit, here on Wednesday. Mithun Manjunath, Priyanshu Rajawat, Aakarshi Kashyap and Tanya Hemanth progressed to the second round. Saina, who missed the All England Championships and has dropped to 32 in the BWF Rankings, had her right knee heavily strapped. —*Agencies*

TESTING TIMES

Chelsea, Liverpool draw 0-0 again to underline sharp decline

AP @ London

ANOTHER 0-0 stalemate between Chelsea and Liverpool. Another match highlighting the sharp decline of two of England's top teams who, at this rate, are unlikely to be playing in the Champions League next season.

Chelsea was playing its first game since the firing of Graham Potter on Sunday but little was different under his interim replacement, Bruno Saltor.

Indeed, there was something very familiar about the teams serving up a goalless draw. That has been the score in this fixture in their last four meetings — both Premier League matches this season and both domestic cup finals last season, which were ultimately won by Liverpool via penalty shootouts. The top four, and qualification for the Champions League, is looking increasingly unlikely for both teams.

Liverpool, which ran Manchester City so close for the title last season, is in eighth place and seven points off fourth-place Tottenham. Chelsea, on the back of spending $630 million in the last two transfer windows, is four points further back in 11th place. Scoring goals remains Chelsea's big problem, with the expensively assembled team failing to net at home for the fifth time in 2023.

Tuesday's results: Bournemouth **0-2** Brighton; Chelsea **0-0** Liverpool; Leeds **2-1** Nottingham Forest; Leicester **1-2** Aston Villa.

Reece James had a strike disallowed for a offside against Enzo Fernandez and Kai Havertz's celebrations for a goal in the second half were cut short after VAR spotted the ball rebounded off his arm and into the net after Liverpool goalkeeper Alisson Becker saved the striker's shot. "These have been emotional days," Bruno said, "and the players have been able to keep focussed. It's a credit to them."

Mo Salah (L) was unable to inspire Liverpool after coming off the bench | AP

Liverpool manager Jurgen Klopp was satisfied with the reaction of his team after a humbling 4-1 loss at Man City, which led to him making six changes — including dropping Mohamed Salah, Trent Alexander-Arnold and Andrew Robertson to the bench. "Yes, it was not the best football," Klopp said, "but these boys are really good footballers and tonight they put in a proper shift."

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Sr. No.	Name of the Borrower/ Co-Borrower/ Guarantor/ (Loan Account Number) & Address	Property Address of Secured Asset / Asset to be Enforced	Date of Notice Sent/ Outstanding as on Date of Notice	NPA Date
1.	Mir Naki Sharjeel/ Syeda Noor Zahara/ No. S1 2nd Floor Signet Apt 3rd Main Road No. 139 Saravanabouma Nagar Arekere Bangalore - 560076 / LBBNG00001883903/ LBBNG00001884113	Property:-1 Schedule-A All That Piece And Parcel of Residential Property Bearing Site No. 15, Carved Out of Survey No. 291/5, Duly Converted By The Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore Vide Its Order No. ALN/SR/85/1973-74, Dated: 02-03-1974, Situated At: Near Sai Baba Ashrama, Railway Station Road, Kadugodi, Previously Mahadevapura CMC, Ward No. 19, Now Comes Under Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, Bbmp Ward No. 83, Measuring In All 0 Acre 24 Guntas or 26136 Sq. Ft., And Bounded On The: East By: Property Belonging To Sri. Balaji Singh And Family West By: Property Belonging To Sri. K.v. Chandra Singh And Smt. Indira Bai North By: Government Land South By: Railway Station Road Schedule-B An Undivided Share In That Piece And Parcel of Schedule A Property, Which Works Out To 461 Sq. Feet Schedule-C All That Piece And Parcel of Apartment Known As "parth Orchids" Constructed By M/s. Parth Builders And Developers In The Schedule 'A' Property Description of The Flat. 1) Flat Number: G-6 2) Floor: Ground Floor 3) Type of Flat: Residential, 4) Accommodation Details: 2 Bedrooms, Hall, Dining, Kitchen, Bath Room And Toilets 5) Super Built Up Area: 1220 Sq. Ft. 6) Corresponding Undivided Share In Land: 461 Sq. Feet, 7) Construction Specifications: RCC Roof, Honne Wood Door And Windows, Vitrified & Ceramic Flooring 8) Additional Facility: Single Car Park In The Stilt Floor Of The Building Property:- 2 Schedule-A All That Piece And Parcel Of Residential Property Bearing Site No. 15, Carved Out of Survey No. 291/5, Duly Converted By The Assistant Commissioner, Bangalore Vide Its Order No. ALN/SR/85/1973-74, Dated: 02-03-1974, Situated At: Near Sai Baba Ashrama, Railway Station Road, Kadugodi, Previously Mahadevapura Cmc, Ward No. 19, Now Comes Under Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, Bbmp Ward No. 83, Measuring In All 0 Acre 24 Guntas or 26136 Sq. Ft., and Bounded On The: East By: Property Belonging to Sri. Balaji Singh And Family West By: Property Belonging to Sri. K.V. Chandra Singh And Smt. Indira Bai North By: Government Land South By: Railway Station Road Schedule- B An Undivided Share In That Piece And Parcel of Schedule A Property, Which Works Out to 623 Sq. Feet Schedule-C All That Piece And Parcel of Apartment Known As "Parth Orchids" Constructed By M/s. Parth Builders And Developers In The Schedule 'A' Property Description of The Flat. 1) Flat Number: 304 2) Floor: Third Floor 3) Type of Flat: Residential, 4) Accommodation Details: 3 Bedrooms, Hall, Dining, Kitchen, Bath Room And Toilets 5) Super Built Up Area: 1650 Sq. Ft. 6) Corresponding Undivided Share In Land: 623 Sq. Feet, 7) Construction Specifications: RCC Roof, Honne Wood Door And Windows, Vitrified & Ceramic Flooring 8) Additional Facility: Single Car Park In The Stilt Floor of The Building	16/02/2023 Rs. 63,32,944/-	30/11/ 2022
2.	Vasavi D R/ Arjun N C/ No. 177 6th Cross 4th Main Mpm Layout Mallthahalli Bangalore-560056/ LBBNG00003112115	Schedule-"A" Property (Description of The Property Taken Up For Construction of Multistoried Building) All That Piece And Parcel of The Property Bearing New Sy. No.223, (old Sy. No. 173) Of The Converted Land To An Total Extent of 2 Acres, Vide Conversion Order No. ALN (A) (A) SR/107/2010-11 Dated 17.03.2010, Situated At Indlabele Village, Attibele Hobli, Anekal Taluk, Bangalore Urban District And Bounded On The: East By : Sarjapura Main Road West By: Sy. No.173 North By: Sy. Nos.180& 181 South By: Sai Layout Schedule-"B" Property (Description of The Apartment Agreed To Be Purchased) A Two Bedroom Apartment / Flat No C-209 In The Second Floor In The Apartment Building Known As "Serenity" to Be Constructed On The Schedule "A" Property With Super Built-up Area of 1007 Sq.ft With Exclusive Use of The Allotted Area With Right To Use of One Car Parking Space Together With All Common Area Attributable Thereto. Schedule-"C" Property (Description of Undivided Share In The Schedule "A" Property Agreed To Be Conveyed) 372 Sq.ft Undivided Share In The Schedule "a" Property.	06/02/2023 Rs. 31,40,974/-	03/09/ 2022
3.	Arundass T/ Sharanya Sg/ No. 3 Yeshood Shreeram Nivas Muniyalappa Garden Kodihalli Bangalore-560008/ LBBNG00003275863	Schedule-"A" Property. (Description of The Property Taken Up For Construction of Multistoried Building) All That Piece And Parcel of The Property Bearing New Sy. No. 223. (Old Sy. No.173) of The Converted Land To An Total Extent of 2 Acres. Vide Conversion Order NO. ALN (A) (A) SR/ 107/2010-11 Dated 17.03.2010. Situated At Indlabele Village. Attibele Hobli. Anekal Taluk. Bangalore Urban District And Bounded On The: East By: Sarjapura Main Road. West By: Sy No.173 North By : Sy. Nos. 180 & 181 South By: Sai Layout Schedule "B" Property (Description of The Apartment Agreed to Be Purchased) Two Bedroom Apartment Flat No. D-007 The Ground Floor In The Apartment Building Kas "Serenity" to Be Constructed On The Schedule "A" Property With Super Built-up Area of 929 Sq.ft With Exclusive Use of The Allotted Area With Right To Use of One Car Parking Space Together With All Common Area Attributable Thereto. Schedule- "C" Property (Description of Undivided Share In The Schedule "A" Property Agreed To Be Conveyed) 343 Sq Ft Undivided Share In The Schedule "A" Property.	06/02/2023 Rs. 28,43,114/-	03/08/ 2022
4.	Jasti Kannaiah Chowdary/ Jasti Lakshmi/ S/o Jasti Venkata Rama Satyanarayana Murty Mattamgudem Panchayati Ramalayam Veedhi No. 1-4 Lingapalem West Godavari - 534462/ LBBNG00004859627	Schedule 'A' (Description of The Entire Property) All That Piece And Parcel Of Portion Of Property Bearing Survey No.7, Measuring 26 (Twenty Six) Guntas Of Land (converted For Residential Purpose Vide Conversion Order Bearing No. Aln (Evh) Sr 263/2010-11, Dated 23.03.2011 Issued By The Office of Deputy Commissioner, Bengaluru District, Bengaluru), Situated At Dodda Kannelli Village, Varthur Hobli, Bengaluru East Taluk (previously Called As Bengaluru South Taluk), Bengaluru District And Bounded On: East By: Road, West By: Property Belonging to Thimma Reddy North By: Property Belonging To Narayanappa And South By: Road Formed In The Same Survey No.7. Schedule 'B' An Undivided 0.96% Share, Right, Title And Interest Equivalent to 273.97 Sq.ft. In The Schedule 'A' Property. Flats No. G09 On The Ground Floor, of The Proposed Building At "samskruti Hoysala" to Be Constructed On The Schedule 'a' Property In Terms of Plan Shown to The Purchaser And Approved By Him/her/them Consisting of Hall Cum Dining, 1 Bedroom, 1 Toilet, Kitchen Along With The Pro Rata Common Area And Facilities In All Measuring Approximately 561 Sq.ft of Carpet Area, Built Up Area 595 Sq.ft 766.80 Sq.ft. of Super Built-up Area Which May Vary By 2% As Per Construction Agreement of Even Date And Bounded As Follows: East By : Set Back West By: Set Back North By: Unit No.g08 South By: Unit No.G10	06/02/2023 Rs. 35,78,346/-	03/08/ 2022
5.	Vaibhav Developers/ G Balaj/ Ranganayaki/ Raghu Prakash Gopal/ No 332 3rd Stage 4 Th Block 8th Main Siddaiah Puranik Road Basaveshwara Nagar Bangalore - 560079/ LBBNG00004984119/ LBBNG00005029796	Property Schedule All That Piece And Parcel of Duplex Flat No. G-1 And F-1, At Ground Floor And First Floor, Present Corporation No. 62/19/g-1 And 62/19-2/f-1, Having Total Super Built Up Area of 3000 Sq. Ft Including Two Car Parking Area In The Basement Floor of The Apartment Building, Situated At 2nd Main Road, N.h.b.c.s. Layout, Kempapura Agrahara, Bangalore, Together With An 2/ 8th or An 1000.00 Sq. Feet Undivided Share In The Land Measuring 374.294 Sq. Meters, Out of The Apartment Building Known And Called As "Balaji Residency" Bearing No. 62, Corporation No. 62/19, Situated At 2 Nd Main Road, N.H.B.C.S Layout, Kempapura Agrahara, Bangalore, The Private Laout Approved By The Bangalore Development Authority, Bangalore, And Formed By The National Housing Co-operative Society Limited, Bangalore, In The Land Bearing Sy. Nos. 436/1, 436/2, 430/1 And 428/1 of Kempapura Agrahara, Bangalore North Taluk, Bangalore Mahanagara Palike Ward No.36, Bangalore, Measuring East to West 80'-0" + 81'-3" /2 Feet, North To South 50'-0" Feet, Bounded On The; East By: 40- Feet Road. West By: Site No. 67 And 68 North By: Site No. 61 South By: Site No. 63 Together With The Donor Shall Also Entitled To The Right of Use And Enjoyment of Common Areas, Amenities, Facilities, Common Passages, Stairways, Staircases, Terrace, Water Sources, Cables, Pipelines, Swears Etc.. That Are Provided In The Common At Entire Premises No.62, Corporation No. 62/19.	04/02/2023 Rs. 1,16,34,787/-	06/04/ 2022
6.	Dinesh J/ Rupashree N/ No. 169 2nd Main 4th Cross Nagarbhavi 2nd Stage 12th Block Bangalore North Bangalore- 560072/ LBBNG00005143055	As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering All That Piece and Parcel of The Property Bearing No. 2997 Measuring East To West 9 Mtrs And North to South 6 Mtrs. Total 54 Sq Mtrs, Bangalore City Sir M. Vishveshwaraiah Layout 1st Block Bangalore 560056. North:site No. 2998 South: Site No. 2996 East: Road West: Site No 3042	02/02/2023 Rs. 50,69,473/-	03/08/ 2022
7.	Chandrashekar T B/ Ankitha H B/ No 1.36 4th Block Dr Rajkumar Road Skanda Motors No. 1036 4th Block Dr Rajkumar Road Rajaji Nagar Bangalore- 560010/ LBBNG00004387351/ LBBNG00005303179/ LBBNG00004938632	As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering All That Piece And Parcel of The Immovable Property Being Vacant Site Bearing No.64 Municipal Khata No.64, Situated At Mahalakshmi Layout Further Extension Bangalore Presently Which Is Coming Under The Limits of Ward No.10, Mahalakshmi Division of Bruhath Bangalore Mahanagara Palike, Bangalore, Pid No.10-69-64, Which Is Measuring East to West:- (8.80+9.10)/2 Meters And North To South:- (12.00+12.50)/2 Meters North: Site No.24 South: Road East: Road West: Site No.63	27/02/2023 Rs. 1,63,15,114/-	03/01/ 2023
8.	K Venkatesulu/ S Mohana/ Flat No. 403 Sriven Elegance Apt Gottigere Bangalore-560076/ LBBNG00005329494	As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering All That Piece And Parcel In Relation to Eastern Portion of Property Bearing No.7, Present Corporation No.14, Situated At 7th Main Road, Bhuvaneshwari Nagar 'B' Block, Kempapura Agrahara, Magadi Road, Bangalore, Word No.32, Measuring East to West: 15 Feet And North to South: 40 Feet (Admeasuring An Area of 600 Sq. Feet North: Road South: Property Bearing No. 16 East: Western Portion of Property Bearing No. 7 West: Property Bearing No. 8 Belongs To Yella Gowda	02/02/2023 Rs. 54,83,878/-	19/11/ 2022
9.	G V Sphoorthi/ M Gangappa/ No. 449 2 Kolimi Galli Gowribidanuru Bangalore- 561203/ LBBNG00005436197	As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering All That Piece And Parcel of The Property Bearing Assessment No. 122/107, Measuring East To West 9.601219 Mtrs and North to South 6.705613 Mtrs. Along With RCC Ground Floor 64.381779 Sq Mtrs And First Floor 64.381779 Sq Mtrs,. Situated At 4th Main Road, Gowribidhanuru Taluk, Chikkaballapur District North: Fakruddin Saheb's House South: Raseedh Khan's House East: CMC Road West: Abdhul Sathar's House	02/02/2023 Rs. 38,50,961/-	03/09/ 2022
10.	Syed Rumaan Nurain/ T M Rahmathulla/ No.120 Brigade Gardens 19th Church Street Bangalore- 560001/ LBBNG00005600212	Schedule 'A' Property (Description of The Entire Building) All That Piece And Parcel of Land Being A Vacant Residential Site Bearing Clubbed Municipal Corporation No. 23/1, Benson Cross Road, Corporation Ward No.63, (92) Pid No.92-32-23/1, Bangalore And Bounded On:- East By: Private Property West By: Approach Road Leading To Benson Cross Road North By: Military Land South By: Private Properties: Totally Measuring In All 12396 Square Feet: Schedule 'B' Property (Description of Undivided Share) 5.08% Undivided Share, Right, Title, Interest and Ownership In The Land Comprised In The Schedule 'A' Property Herein Above Referred to Which Works Out to 630 Square Feet. Schedule 'C' Property (Description of The Apartment) All That Piece And Parcel of A Three Bedroom Flat Bearing No. TF-305, On The Third Floor, Having A Super Built-up Area of 3400 Square Feet Together With Two Reserved Car Park Space Bearing No. TF-305 In The Basement of The Apartment Building Known As "Genesis Graande", Constructed On The Schedule 'A' Property, With Vitrified Tiles, And Proportionate Share In The Common Areas Such As Passages, Lobbies, Lift, Staircase And Other Areas of Common Use With Right to Pass Through All The Common Passages Leading to Road And Free For Egress And Ingress At All Times And Entitled For All The Common Areas And Amenities:	27/02/2023 Rs. 2,32,31,676/-	19/12/ 2022
11.	Chithavadutta Rajanikanth/ Chithavadutta Supriya/ 4 5 60 17 1st Floor Saibaba Road Opposite Idbi Bank Koratipadu Guntur- 522007/ LBBNG00006012485	Composite Schedule- 'A' Property All That Piece and Parcel of The Residential Immovable Property Being A Vacant Site Bearing Corporation Khatha No.426/715/b/540/2/31/2, No.826/715/A/540/1/31/1 And No.32/715/540/31, The Katha of Composite Schedule A Property Is Amalgamated Vide Bbmp Katha No.825/715/540/31/31/1/31/2, Situated At Kote, Kengeri, Bengaluru, Presently Within The Limits of Bbmp Ward No.198-hemmigepura, Kengeri Sub-division, Bangalore, Measuring Approximately 16300 Square Feet And Including All Rights, Privileges And Appurtenances Thereto and, Measuring East To West: A To H -89 Feet B to C - 25 Feet D to E - 72.7 Feet F to G - 39 Feet North To South: A To B- 92 Feet C To D- 92.11 Feet E to F-110.10 Feet G to H- 77 Feet And Bounded As Follows: East By: Road, Leading to Vrushabhavathi River (private Property Shown As Abcj In The Sketch) West By: Road And (Private Property Shown As Hgfi In The Sketch) North By: Road South By: Road Schedule "B" Property 328.25 Sq. Ft, of Undivided Share, Right, Title And Interest In The Schedule "A" Property Here By Conveyed By The Vendors To The Purchaser. Schedule "C" Property Flat No. A-204 (Second Floor) In Block-A, of The Building Known As 'RF Twlight' Constructed On The Schedule A Property, Having A Super Built- Up Area of 1127.62 Square Feet, Having RCC Roofing, Vitrified Tiles Floors, Sal Wood Doors & Aluminium Windows, and Separate Electricty, Common Water And Sanitation, Including Common Area Rights and One Car Parking Slot In Stilt Floor, And Including All Rights, Privileges, Appurtenances There to and Bounded On: East By : Set Back West By: Flat No. A-202 North By: Setback South By: Common Area Schedule "d" Property (Rights of The Purchaser) The Purchaser Shall Have The Following Rights In Respect of The Schedule Property And The Building Constructed Thereon:	17/02/2023 Rs. 3,44,434/-	06/12/ 2022
12.	Bhanuprakash Nasanth Pura Boregowda/ Sowmya/ No.135 1st Floor Near Bus Stop Vijaynagar 4th Stage Mysore - 570032/ LBMYS00004965906	Schedule- A Alienated Lands Bearing 1. Survey No.194/2 Extent 2 Acres 10 Guntas, 2. Survey No. 203/1 Extent 2 Acres 3. Survey No.203/2 Extent 1 Acre 27 Guntas, Situated At Dadadahalli, Jayapura Hobli, Mysuru Taluk, Mysuru District Bounded As Follows: Sl No Sy. No. Extent East By West By North By South By 1 194/2 2A-10g Land Bearing Survey No.204 Land Bearing Survey No. 194/3 Land Bearing Survey No. 194/1 Land Bearing Survey No. 195 & 203 2 203/1 2A-00G Varuna Channel Land Bearing Sy. No.195 Land Bearing Sy. No.203/2 Road 3 203/2 1A-27g Varuna Channel Land Bearing Sy. No.195 Land Bearing Sy. No.194 Land Bearing Sy. No.203 Schedule-B All That Piece And Parcel of The Residential Property Bearing Site No. 17, Measuring East To West: 09.00 Mtrs & North To South: 15.00 Mtrs In All 135.00sq Mtrs Carved Out of The Converted Lands In The Residential Layout Duly Approved By Muda Known As "Prashanth Nagar (Phase1)" Situated At Dadadahalli Village, Jayapura Hobli, Mysuru Taluk, Mysuru Bounded On The:- East By: Site Bearing No.18 West By: Site Bearing No.16 North By: Site Bearing No. 54 South By: Road	02/02/2023 Rs. 33,01,608/-	03/08/ 2022
13.	Sathyanarayana Sathyanarayana/ Aruna/ No.455 6 7 1 Thibbadevi Opposite Rk Layout Mysore - 570008/ LBMYS00005646607	As Described In The Loan Document / Property Document Covering All That The Part And Parcel of The Property Bearing Site No. 200, Situated At A Layout Formed In An Alienated Land Bearing Sy. No" S.19/2, 20/1, 60/2, 60/4, 61 & 62, Measuring 13 Acres 09 Guntas of Kuppaluru Village, Kasaba Hobli, Mysore Taluk, Layout Known As "Gurukula Layout (G.K. Layout)", Site Measuring East to West: 09.00 Meters And North To South:12.00 Meters, In All Measuring 108 Sq. Meters North: Property Bearing Site No.201 South: 9.00 Meters Road East: Property Bearing Site No.199 West: 9.00 Meters Road	02/02/2023 Rs. 28,83,829/-	05/11/ 2022

The steps are being taken for substituted service of notice. The above borrower/s and/or their guarantors (as applicable) are advised to make the payments of outstanding within period of 60 days from the date of publication of this notice else further steps will be taken as per the provisions of Securitisation and Re-construction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act, 2002.

Date : April 06, 2023
Place : Bangalore

Authorized Officer
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NOTICE INVITING TENDER

Tender No.	Description of work	Due date
232423 000051	Supply of debarked Wattle pulpwood from open market sources of Tamil Nadu to TNPL Unit - II, at Mondipatti, Manaparai, Trichy District, Tamilnadu	15.04.2023

Corrigendum if any will be displayed only in TNPL website. Detailed requirements, Period, Terms & conditions, Tender fee, EMD, etc., are available in tender document at our websites: **www.tnpl.com / www.tenders.tn.gov.in**

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SALE NOTICE FOR SALE OF IMMOVABLE PROPERTIES

E-Auction Sale Notice for Sale of Immovable Assets under the Securitisation and Reconstruction of Financial Assets and Enforcement of Security Interest Act(SARFAESI), 2002 read with proviso to Rule 8 (6) of the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules,

Notice is hereby given to the public in general and in particular to the Borrower(s) and Guarantor(s) that the below described immovable property(ies) mortgaged/charged to the Secured Creditor, the constructive/physical/ symbolic possession of which has been taken by the Authorised Officer of the Bank/ Secured Creditor, will be sold on **"As is where is", "As is what is", and "Whatever there is"** on the date as mentioned in the table herein below, for recovery of its dues due to the Bank/ Secured Creditor from the respective borrower (s) and guarantor (s). The reserve price and the earnest money deposit is mentioned in the table below against the respective properties.

The auction will be held on 26.04.2023 from 11.00 AM to 03.00 PM

SCHEDULE OF THE SECURED ASSETS

Sl. No.	Branch Name : Branch Contact No : A/c Name : A/c No :	Description of the property	A) SARFAESI Details Possession B) Outstanding Amount in Rs.	A) Reserve Price B) EMD C) Bid Increase Amount
1	Branch : Nelamangala (184210) **Mob No.9962022231** M/s Digital Conmix, Shri G Krishnamurthy (Partner/Guarantor/Mortgagor) & Shri Madhusudhan Reddy (Partner/Guarantor) **A/C No. 18424011000153, 18427121000013, 18427011000222, 184210IB00000012**	**Item No. 1 :** All that piece and parcel of Converted Land and Building there on the Sy No 28/6 measuring to the extent of 35 Guntas measuring 32670 Square Feet situated at Kerekatthiganur Village, Kambalu Post SompuraHobli, Nelamangala Taluk, out of which 30 Guntas of agriculture land stands converted to Industrial use by the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Rural District vide Conversion Order No LNDC10000341 dated 06/07/2018 and bounded on the **East By :** Sy No 28/4, **West By :** V Thimmaiah's Share Land Property, **North By :** Sy No 30 and Road & **South By :** Sy No 28/1.;property belong to Sri G Krishnamurthy & Smt Sukanya Murthy **Item No.2 :** All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site No 24, Property No 214/2, New Khata No 11, PID No 88-4-11, situated at 7th Cross, SubbaiannaPalya, KrishnarajapuramHobli, Bangalore East Taluk, Presently coming under the jurisdiction of the Bruhat Bangalore MahanagaraPalike, ward No 88, Banaswadi, measuring East to West 40 feet, North to South 30 feet totally measuring 1200 Square Feet and bounded on the **East by :** Road, **West by :** Site No 23, **North By :** Road, and **South by :** Site No 25.;property belongs to G Krishnamurthy. (Item No.2, is also security for housing loan of Mr. G Krishnamurthy (A/cNo. 18426016000027)with bal O/s Rs. 16,27,173.79 ,13(2) notice issued on 04.08.2022 and possession taken on 29.11.2022)	A) 13(2) 07.01.2022 13(4) 29.11.2022 Symbolic **B) Rs.2,29,67,231.61 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**Item No. 1 A)Rs. 1,16,65,000/- B)Rs. 12,00,000/- C)Rs. 1,00,000/- Item No. 2 A)Rs. 99,70,000/- B)Rs. 10,00,000/- C)Rs. 1,00,000/-**
2	Branch : Peenya Branch (125100) **Mob No.9962022231** M/s S& S Infra Management Services Mortgagor: Mrs. K Pratibha **A/C No. 1251008700003243 & 125100SG00000249**	All that piece and parcel of property bearing Flat No. B-102 having super built up area of 1451sqft, undivided share of 799.36 sqft, in the name of Mrs. Pratibha K.B., at 1st Floor in Apartment "Concorde Midway City", Land in Sy. No 20, Basapura Village, Begur Hobli, Bangalore South Taluk, and Bounded by: **East By :** Open Space/set back area, **West By :** Corridor/Flat No. B-103, **North By :** Lift Well/Block A & **South By :** Internal access area. Schedule of the Plot : **East By :** Road, **West By :** Land of Sy No. 22, **North By :** Land of Sy No. 18 & **South By :** Land of Sy No. 21/2. Landmark : Near Britany House of Worship.	A) 13(2) 25.04.2018 13(4) 15.11.2021 Physical **B) Rs. 3,53,25,490.38 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs. 67,00,000/- B)Rs. 6,70,000/- C)Rs. 50,000/-**
3	Branch : Peenya Branch (125100) **Mob No.9962022231** M/s S& S Infra Management Services Mortgagor: Mr. T Byataraya **A/C No. 1251008700003243 & 125100SG00000249**	All that piece and parcel of property bearing Site No. 24, Property No. 19/1, 548/1, 1/19/1/A, Khata No.-487, Arakere Village, BegurHobli , Bangalore South Taluk, Bangalore measuring East to West : (40.5+40)/2 ft and North to South: 30 ft, total 1207.50 sqft , in the name of Mr. T Byataraya ,and Bounded as: **East By :** Remaining Part of the Same Property (Site No. 1), **West By :** 25'0" Road, **North By :** Remaining Part of the Same Property (Site No. 23) & **South By :** Remaining Part of the Same Property (Site No. 24).	A) 13(2) 25.04.2018 13(4) 15.11.2021 Symbolic **B) Rs.3,53,25,490.38 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs. 1,11,00,000/- B)Rs. 11,10,000/- C)Rs. 1,00,000/-**
4	Branch : Rajajinagar (408000), Bangalore **Mob No.9962022231** Sandesh H, **A/C No. 408000NC00005332 & 4080009900000415**	All that part and parcel of RCC roofed Independent House with built up area of 787.75 sqft bearing municipal no. 109, situated at Mallathahalli Bangalore Formally Site No. 109, Khata No. 129 at Mallathahalli Village, YeshwanthapuraHobli, Bangalore North, Now comes under the administrative Jurisdiction of BBMP PIDNO: 129-129-109, measuring East to West 47+54/2 feet and North to South 12.5 +37/2 feet, totally measuring 1003 Sq. ft. Bounded on : **East By :** Road, **West By :** 3 feet passage and Chandrashekar and M.H. Manjunath's property, **North By :** Maranna's property & **South By :** Road. **Landmark: Near Amebedkar College Junction**	A) 13(2) 14.07.2016 13(4) 26.12.2016 Physical **B) Rs. 50,98,906.50 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A) Rs. 49,00,000/- B) Rs. 4,90,000/- C) Rs. 25,000/-**
5	Branch : Bangalore-Indira Nagar (098510) **Mob No.9962022231** Kohila Narayanan **A/C No. 09856041000360, 09856041001749**	Residential flat bearing No. G-1 Ground Floor (I floor as per the sale deed) of the apartment building named "Charita Residency" 6th G Cross, Kaggadaspura, C V Raman Nagar, K R Puram Hobli, Bangalore East, built up measuring 400 sqft along with all common areas attributable thereto and without car parking space, along with undivided share of land of 66 sqft and bounded on the **East by:** Private Property, **West by:** Private Property, **North by:** Road and **South by:** Lake. **Landmark: Kaggadaspura, C V Raman Nagar.**	A) 13(2) 07.07.2010 13(4) 04.08.2011 Physical **B) Rs.6,95,370.00 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs. 6,05,000/- B)Rs. 60,000/- C)Rs. 10,000/-**
6	Branch : Frazer Town (120200) **Mob No.9962022231** Basenapalli Prasad **A/C No. 120200NC00010443**	All that piece and parcel of property bearing Flat No. G-10, Ground Floor, " MAYUR DAFFODILS APARTMENT" Sy No. 119/3, S Medahalli Village, Sarjapur Hobli, anekal Taluk, Bangalore-562125, measuring a super, built up area of 1205 sqft and the Flat is bounded on **East By:** Open Space, **West By:** Corridor, **North By :** Flat No. G009, **South By :** Flat No: G 011.	A) 13(2) 05.04.2019 13(4) 18.07.2019 Symbolic **B) Rs. 50,78,754.00 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs. 27,52,000/- B)Rs. 2,75,000/- C)Rs. 25,000/-**
7	Branch : J P Nagar (159400) **Mob No.9962022231** A Nanjunda Shetty **A/C No. 159400RM00000037**	All that part and parcel of residential cum commercial building bearing No. 814/607(old no. 387/607/581), Municipal Main Road near Vasavalli Temple, Magadi Town, Magadi-562120, Land measuring total area of 2000 sqft having building consists of Ground floor and First Floor having area of 1248 sqft each and Second floor having 1050 sqft area. Total Built up area of 3546 sqftand bounded on the **East by:** A S Puttaranga Shetty and other property, **West by:** Narayan Shetty and others property, **North by:** Sri S R Narayan Shetty and others property and **South by:** Municipal Main Road.	A) 13(2) 15.05.2021 13(4) 16.03.2022 Physical **B) Rs. 57,91,836.11 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs. 67,40,000/- B)Rs. 6,74,000/- C)Rs. 50,000/-**
8	Branch : Bangalore Jayanagar(128700) **Mob No.9962022231** HI - TECH FORGE **A/C No. 1287008700000924 & 128700IB00005150 Mortgagor: Mr. N. Harish S/o S Nagarajaiah**	Municipal No. 37 (Old No. 21/3 and 21), House List No. 21, Khata No. 21/3 and 21/4, 2nd Main Road, BSK 3rd Stage, Ward No. 55, Kammanahalli Village, BegurHobli, Bengaluru South Taluk, Bengaluru, measuring East to West 40 feet and North to South 30 feet, total area 1200 sqft, and bounded on **East by:** Property No. 13, **West by:** Road, **North by :** Property No. 22 and **South by:** Property No.20	A) 13(2) 07.01.2016 13(4) 06.04.2016 Physical **B) Rs.2,67,88,081.95 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A)Rs. 90,52,000/- B)Rs.9,52,000/- C)Rs.1,00,000/-**
9	Branch : Sadashiv Road (SOL: 108410) **Mob No.9962022231** M/s NithyaSree Exports Private Limited, Shri A V AnanthaPadmanabha, Shri Arjun Agnihotri, Smt Shyla Padmanabha, Shri Srivallabha & Smt R Sushma **Mortgagor:** Sri A. V. Anantha Padmanabha **A/C No. 10844015001344**	Residential Flat bearing No 306, 3rd Floor, Kumar Ashraya Apartments, with super built up area of 661 Sq Ft with UDS of 485 sqft, situated at Old No 75/3, Municipal No 194/1, New Corporation No 194/33, 9th Cross, 2nd Block, Jayanagar, Corporation Ward No 50, R V Road, Bangalore (Sale Deed No JAY-1-03772-2004-05).The flat is constructed on the property bearing old no.75/3,Municipal No.194/1,measuring 19363 sqft, situated at 9th cross, 2nd block, Jayanagar, Corporation Ward No.50(RV Road),Bangalore measuring East 45.731 Mtrs., West 40.855 Mtrs., North 33.841 Mtrs and South 54.268 Mtrs in all admeasuring 19,363. Sq. feet of the land and appurtenances thereon and bounded on **East by:** Corporation drain on property No.399 & 400, **West by:** Property No.194, belonging to Mr.Aylam Addur Ravoof, **North by :** 9th Cross Road, 2nd Block, Jayanagar and **South by:** Property No.75/2-B and 75/2-C belonging to Janabtimri Madina Saheba.	A) 13(2) 25.08.2022 13(4) 10.11.2022 Symbolic **B) Rs. 43,68,068.00 Plus interest and other charges from the date of NPA**	**A) Rs. 52,50,000/- B) Rs. 5,25,000/- C) Rs. 50,000/-**

Encumbrances : No such information known to the best of knowledge of Authorized Officer. The bidders are requested to do their own Due Diligence.
TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF E-AUCTION SALE : 1. The sale shall be subject to the Terms & Conditions prescribed in the Security Interest (Enforcement) Rules 2002 and to the following further conditions. (1) The auction sale will be "online through e-auction" portal **http://www.mstcecommerce.com. 2.** The intending Bidders/ Purchasers are requested to register on portal (https:www.mstcauction.com) using their mobile number and email-id. Further, they are requested to upload requisite KYC documents. Once the KYC documents are verified by e-auction service provider (may take 2 working days), the intending Bidders/ Purchasers has to transfer the EMD amount using online mode in his Global EMD Wallet before the e-auction Date and time in the portal. The registration, verification of KYC documents and transfer of EMD in wallet must be completed well in advance, before auction date. **3.** Earnest Money Deposit (EMD) amount as mentioned above shall be paid online through 3 mode i.e. NEFT/ Cash/ Transfer (After generation of Challan from (https:www.mstcecommerce.com) in bidders Global EMD Wallet. NEFT transfer can be done from any Scheduled Commercial Bank, however for Cash/ Transfer the bidder has to visit Punjab National Bank Branch. Payment of EMD by any other mode such as Cheques will not be accepted. Bidders, not depositing the required EMD online, will not be allowed to participate in the e-auction. The Earnest Money Deposited shall not bear any interest. **4.** Platform **(https:www.mstcecommerce.com)** for e-Auction will be provided by e Auction service provider M/S MSTC Limited having its Registered office at 225-C, A.J.C. Bose Road, Kolkata700020 (contact Phone & Toll free Numbers 079-41072412/ 411/ 413 or 1800-103-5342). The intending Bidders/ Purchasers are required to participate in the e-Auction process at e-Auction Service Provider"s website **https:www.mstcecommerce.com**. This Service Provider will also provide online demonstration/ training on e-Auction on the portal. **5.** The Sale Notice containing the General Terms and Conditions of Sale is available / published in the following websites/ web page portal. **(1) https://www.ibapi.in (2) https://eprocure.gov.in/epublish/app (3) http://www.mstcecommerce.com/. (4) www.pnbindia.in, 6.** The intending participants of e-auction may download free of cost, copies of the Sale Notice, Terms & Conditions of e-auction,Help Manual on operational part of e-Auction related to this eAuction from e -Bकरय IBAPI portal (https://www.ibapi.in). **7.** The intending Bidders / Purchasers are requested to register on portal (https:www.mstcauction.com) using their mobile number and email-id. Further, they will upload the requisite KYC documents. Once the KYC documents are verified by e-auction service provider (may take 2 working days),the intending Bidders/Purchasers has to transfer the EMD amount using online mode in his Global EMD Wallet. Only after having sufficient EMD in his Wallet, the interested bidder will be able to bid on the date of e-auction. **8.** Bidder's Global Wallet should have sufficient balance (>=EMD amount) at the time of bidding. **9. During the e-auction, there has to be a minimum of one bid increment and bidders will be allowed to offer higher bid in inter-se bidding over and above the last bid quoted and the minimum increase in the bid amount must be as mentioned against each properties to the last higher bid of the bidders. Ten minutes time will be allowed to bidders to quote successive higher bid and if no higher bid is offered by any bidder after the expiry of ten minutes to the last highest bid, the e-auction shall be closed. 10.** It is the responsibility of intending Bidder(s) to properly read the Sale Notice, Terms & conditions of e-auction, Help Manual on operational part of e-Auction and follow them strictly. **(1)** In case of any difficulty or need of assistance before or during e-Auction process may contact authorized representative of our e-Auction Service Provider (http://www.mstcecommerce.com/). Details of which are available on the e-Auction portal. **11.** After finalization of e-Auction by the Authorized Officer, only successful bidder will be informed by our above referred service provider through SMS/ email. (On mobile no/ email address given by them/ registered with the service provider). **12.** The secured asset will not be sold below the reserve price. **13.** The successful bidder shall have to deposit 25% (twenty five percent) of the bid amount, less EMD amount deposited, on the same day or not later than the next working day and the remaining amount shall be paid within 15 days from the date of auction in the form of Banker's Cheque/ Demand Draft issued by a Scheduled Commercial Bank drawn in favour of "The Authorized Officer, Punjab National Bank, A/c (Name of the A/C) Payable at Bangalore. 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DAY'S DIARY

Tony Awards

The Tony Awards made their official debut at a dinner in the Grand Ballroom of the Waldorf Astoria hotel on April 6, 1947

IN MEMORY OF

Tony Awards are annual awards for distinguished achievement in American theatre. It was named for dynamic wartime leader of American Theatre Wing, Antoinette Perry

IN PLACE OF AWARDS

During the first two years, there was no official award. The winners were presented with a scroll and mementos — a gold money clip (for the men) and a compact (for the women)

A CONTEST

In 1949, the United Scenic Artists, sponsored a contest for a suitable model for the award. The winning entry was designed by Herman Rosse

Check out what's happening in the city

SOUTHWARD BOUND

Actor Vedvika Soni, previously seen in Ravi Teja's *Dhamaka* is making her Kannada debut with a political drama, to be released in time for the Karnataka Elections

DESE GOWDA

Vedvika Soni, the fresh faced actor known for her role in Ravi Teja's *Dhamaka,* is all set to make her Kannada debut in an upcoming film *Rajkeeya*, which is expected to be released during the time of Karnataka General Elections. She plays the role of a young college student from a rural background who stands up against the political establishment for the betterment of her village. "One of the directors that I've previously worked with in Telugu industry approached me with the role. He felt that I was more suited to the role and could convincingly pull it off," shares Soni adding that the film, directed by AR Shaan, is currently in post-production with the first teaser set to be released in the coming weeks.

An MBA graduate, Soni grew up in Ahmedabad and moved to Mumbai to try her luck in showbiz. When an unexpected opportunity to do films in the South presented itself, Soni happily obliged, but the language barriers were a major obstacle for her. With *Dhamaka*, the limited scope of her role meant that language wasn't much of a problem. But when she graduated to a lead role with *Rajkeeya*, it was suddenly a huge problem.

However, a helpful suggestion from one of her co-stars in Dhamaka, Sachin Khedek came to her rescue. "While doing Dhamaka, I learnt a lot. Everyone was very nice and supportive of me, even though they had so much experience. Sachin sir was especially nice. He felt I should be able to make basic conversations in the languages I work in. So he told me to learn the top 100 words from languages like Telugu and Kannada and that most conversations would only rely on those words," she adds. So how did the advice work out for Soni? "I'm getting better at Telugu. With Kannada, I can understand the language, but cannot speak well. The thing is most Bengalureans don't use Kannada themselves, they speak to me in English!" Soni shares.

Set in a rural background, *Rajkeeya* delves into electoral politics. Furthermore, most of the film is set during night hours and along with the village setting, initially made Soni question her choice to do the film. "While I agreed to take up the project, when we actually started shooting, I started having second thoughts. The villagers would flock to watch the shoot and the way some of them stared at me would make me uncomfortable. But within a few days, I realised they were actually very nice," she shares, adding that the villagers soon became like family to the crew. "They'd constantly offer us tea, and since I only drank black tea, they even learned to make it just for me!" she says. "I'm a vegetarian, and everyday the villagers would cook for me. It was an enjoyable experience."

Apart from *Rajkeeya*, Soni is also involved in a few projects in Telugu and one in Tamil. She has received a few offers from Kannada as well but is waiting for *Rajkeeya*'s release before deciding on anything.

MONIKA MONALISA

LOOKING for a quick watch that's gripping? Then filmmaker **Roshan D'Souza**'s short film *Amrtyu*, could be a good pick. A psychological thriller, it revolves around the life of an amnesia patient Rishi who has forgotten his past completely. The short film also stars Keerthi Bhanu , Sangeetha Rajeev, Pradyumna Narahalli in lead roles.

Explaining the film's premise, D'Souza says, "The short movie is about a person who has lost his memory, but he's seeing some portion of his memory in his dreams and is trying to make sense of what he's seeing."

One of the key points in a psychological thriller is its build up. Within its 11-minute runtime, *Amrtyu* tries establish a complex subject. D'Souza confesses it was very difficult. "It was hard to build that because 11 minutes in a film is a short amount of time. I was particular that I have to finish this entire segment within 15 minutes. So I had to identify the right characters who would convey the story. For example, Aditya is a doctor who is treating Rishi and can give you some idea about the condition," he explains.

He also reveals that the short film is a tease to the feature film which he is planning to make. "This portion of the short movie that you saw is actually part of a bigger story that I'm building right now. I'm writing a script for it," says the marketing professional.

A fan of psychological thrillers, the idea was born in November 2022 which is when the characters, Maya or Rishi, were created. "The only recommendations that you would see in my OTT platforms are thrillers or horror movies. I watch very few action movies, but for me thrillers and horror movies are something I connect with very immediately. I like movies like *Inception*, *Momento*, etc. I go very deep into the characters," says D'Souza, adding that the last one that he watched was a Korean series called *The King: Eternal Monarch*.

A still from the film

Mind Benders

INCEPTION OF MAYA

"I really connected with the character Maya because of her strong image. The look also was so different. Most people told me they couldn't recognise me. But Roshan was convinced that I should give it a try. When we did a dress trial, he told me, 'I got my character Maya'"

-Sangeetha Rajeev, singer/ actor

KNOW YOUR CITY

Arun Prasad, city-based history researcher, unravels interesting facts about Bengaluru in this weekly quiz series. So it's time for you to find out how familiar you are with the city, beyond its heritage buildings, IT parks and the pub culture.

THE QUIZ WILL BE PUBLISHED EVERYWEDNESDAY

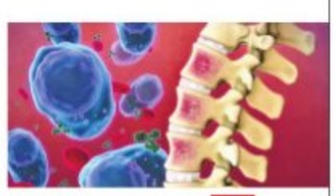
Send answers to **bengalurucityexpress @gmail.com** with the subject line **'Know Your City Quiz'**Correct answers and names of first three respondents with right answers will be featured in *CE* on Thursday.

THE RIGHT ANSWERS ARE

1. State Central Library
2. Nrupathunga Road
3. Indian Institute of Science

FIRST THREE TOGET IT RIGHT

1. K S Ramkumar
2. Mamata Dash
3. S Prakash



MULTIPLE TRUTHS P3

Making a mark

A chance turn of events led this tattoo artist to turn it into his profession. As his studio hits the two-decade mark, Pradeep Menon chats with *CE* about working with the who's who, including Bollywood actor Jacqueline Fernandez

DESE GOWDA

WHEN city-based Pradeep Menon quit his job in a multinational IT company in the early '00s, wanting to start a tattoo studio, he had no source of income and was completely dependent on his family. But his idea didn't get much support from the latter, who wanted him to get into the 9-5 groove. Yet, Menon was determined to pursue his dream. Two decades on, he is celebrating a landmark moment and the risk he took back in the day that has paid off.

It so happened that Menon decided to get a tattoo on whim sometime in 1999 while on a work assignment in Mumbai. After some hunting, he found a studio run by a practising psychologist. The late Dr Jehagir Kurian ran the studio in the same building where he was practising medicine. Watching Dr Kurian work while waiting for his turn, Menon felt that his destiny might be with the art form. "I used to do a lot of sketching until high school. So I thought that tattooing might help me capitalise on those skills," Menon shares.

After much persuasion, Dr Kurian agreed to teach Menon, who immediately quit his job and started interning at the studio. After six months and much practice on himself, he was finally ready to go on his own. "The first tattoo I did on myself didn't heal well, and Dr Kurian was upset and didn't want me to continue. But he reluctantly agreed to let me practice after some persuasion from one of his other students," he says.

Having signed a non-compete agreement with Dr Kurian, Menon returned to Bengaluru with newly-acquired skills. But with his parents against the idea, he had lost hope until a chance encounter with a random stranger on a train journey who helped him realise his dream. "When I told this gentlemen that I had done most of the tatoos myself and that I was looking to start a studio of my own, he told me that he would be willing to invest," Menon adds.

Within a short span of time, Rao's business acumen had helped Menon set up a small and hygienic studio out of a spare room at his parents' home in Fraser Town. Initially, Menon's clients were only through word of mouth during weekends. Slowly, his techniques and designs grew diverse. Around 2005, the-then Miss Sri Lanka, Jacqueline Fernandez was among Menon's growing list of clients. But the following year, his work for an anthropologist, in his sixties, caught widespread attention on the slowly growing interest, leading to an explosion in popularity of his studio.

Now, his studio, Dark Arts The Tattoo Studio in Koramangala, has a range of clientele, from 18 to 65, but college students who initially helped him grow his base are no longer its primary clientele, given the cost (₹3000++). Menon believes in ensuring that the work they put in is cherished rather than being a symbol of regret. "If someone comes to us and asks us to work within a budget, I always advise them to instead save money, and get something that they absolutely like," he shares.

In 2017, Menon founded an association to act as a self-governing body for various independent tattoo artists and studios in the city. As founding-president, he has established strict standard operating practices to ensure that clients would receive consistent, hygienic and good quality service form all the member studios. "Every member goes through a rigourous process, where we go through their portfolio, skill curve and ensure it is up to our standards," he says, adding, "We encourage our members to only use materials and supplies from vetted suppliers. We don't want them using supplies sourced from sketchy sources that might lead to harmful effects on the clients."

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Pradeep Menon, founder, Dark Arts The Tattoo Studio

CITY READ

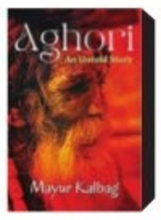
Digital transformation solution partners with college

Brillio, a leading digital transformation services and solutions provider, announced that they are partnering with New Horizon College of Engineering (NHCE) to develop industry-ready technology talent. Brillio will design a special industry-focused curriculum for NHCE students and set up a lab at NHCE. The core team of senior technology and business professionals from Brillio will train the NHCE faculty on the new curriculum and then jointly deliver the curriculum to the students. The curriculum aims at building core engineering skills through hands-on training in new-age technologies and covers topics such as design thinking, and next-generation technologies such as Web 3, Digital Twin, and artificial intelligence (AI).

Autism Awareness Day held

The Autism Society of India and 15 associated NGOs came together to create awareness of Autism Spectrum Disorder (ASD). Autism is a neurodevelopmental disorder that affects communication, social interaction, and behaviour characterised by repetitive actions and issues with socialising. World Autism Awareness Day is observed on April 2 to drive an inclusive societal message. It is a platform to bring together families and help reduce social stigma associated with ASD, and bring conversations to the surface that can normalise societal response to Autism and related disorders that afflict many children and the families world over.

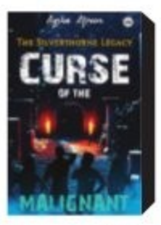
BOOK NOOK



The Aghori: An Untold Story

by Mayur Kalbag

A vibrantly coloured collage of varied experiences that the protagonist, Subraiya or Subbu goes through. An autobiographical form that incorporates diverse activities that are spiritual, intriguing, ethereal and at times frightening.



Curse of the Malignant

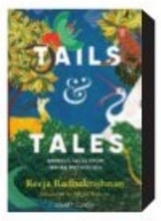
by Ayesha Afreen

The Curse of the Malignant from the fantasy fiction series, The Silverthrone Legacy revolves around a curse on the town of Northacus. Ish Evans and Hasllie Moore have overcome the fears of Malignant's room and are set in search of their friend.

Chuckle Merry Spin: Us in the U.S.

by Khyrunnisa A

The book is an entertaining, hilarious, and witty travelogue by the author and her husband to the US that includes both tourist and non-tourist locations. In this relatable and giggle-inducing travelogue, Khyrunnisa returns to doing what she does best—finding humour in everyday life.

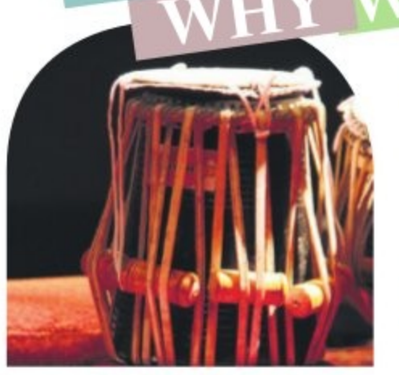


Tails and Tales

by Reeja Radhakrishnan

There are animals and birds who lead a quest, forge a friendship, avenge a wrong or save the world like a superhero. The stories in the illustrated book showcase diversities and wealth of folklore.

WHAT WHEN WHY WHERE



Sufi Magic

Bismil Ki Mehfil is an assemblage of intricate emotions & heartfelt feelings strung together to form beautiful melodies. Let Bismil win your heart with his amazing Shayaris, Sufi music, and Qawwalis.

WHERE: Phoenix Market City, Whitefield
WHEN: April 8, 5pm
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

CIRCUS CALLING

Enjoy the International Circus Festival in an air-conditioned auditorium as award-winning artists from around the globe amuse you with their breathtaking ground and aerial acts. **WHERE:** St John's Auditorium, Koramangala **WHEN:** April 8, 7:30pm **DETAILS:** bookmyshow.com

FRIDAY VIBES

A Bollywood and Bhangra night featuring Dj Avi, and a chance for all the party people to come along and party together. Free unlimited drinks will be provided for ladies.

WHERE: Catch Up Bangalore, HSR Layout
WHEN: April 7, 8pm **DETAILS:** highape.com

Coffee Connoisseur

A coffee-tasting session where you can explore the unique subtleties in flavors of coffee from different regions and learn about coffee variations brought about by different altitudes and post-harvest processing methods.

WHERE: Something's Brewing, Indiranagar
WHEN: April 8, 11am **DETAILS:** insider.in

IMPROVE MOTOR SKILLS

A mosaic art workshop that supports play and DIY (do it yourself) concepts that will help kids develop focus, fine motor, visual, and general motor skills.

WHERE: Awesome Place, Whitefield
WHEN: April 7, 11am
DETAILS: bookmyshow.com

Indoor Sport

Leo Sports is organizing multiple badminton tournaments. Winners and Runner-ups will be given cash prizes.

WHERE: Leo Sports, Mahadevpura
WHEN: April 7, 8:30pm
DETAILS: playmatches.com

Sanjali Center for Odissi Dance presents "Pravaha Dance Festival" which features Odissi performances by the Sanjali Ensemble, a solo Bharatanatyam presentation by Aparna Paliyath, and a Kathak duet by Rohini Prabhat & Shreya Vathsa.

WHERE: Seva Sadan, Malleshwaram
WHEN: April 7, 6 pm
DETAILS: allevents.in

TRADITIONAL STEPS

CHEERFUL RIDE

Children on the spectrum enjoy a ride in the 'Putani Express' toy train on occasion of World Autism Day at Bal Bhavan in Cubbon Park | **VINOD KUMAR T**

QUICK FIX

BANANA OATMEAL PANCAKE (FLOURLESS)

Contributed by **Ishrat Khan,** Hyderabad

INGREDIENTS

- **Bananas:** 2
- **Baking powder:** 1/2 tsp
- **A pinch of salt**
- **Fresh fruit of your choice**
- **Rolled oats:** 1/2 cup
- **Eggs:** 2
- **Maple syrup / honey**

METHOD

- In a blender, combine the peeled banana, eggs, oats, baking powder and salt.
- Allow to blend until the mixture is as smooth as you want it and blended well. Allow the batter to stand for 10-20 minutes until thickened slightly.
- Heat a non-stick frying pan over medium heat.
- Fry spoonfuls of the batter until golden brown on both sides.
- Serve with a drizzle of maple syrup/ honey and with fresh fruits of your choice.

What's cooking in your kitchen?

We are hungry for recipes with minimum ingredients and maximum flavours. Share your quick-fix with us, along with step-by-step photos, at bengalurucityexpress@gmail.com

FIT BIT

UTTHITA PARSVAKONASANA VARIATION

(EXTENDED SIDE ANGLE POSE ELBOW ARM)

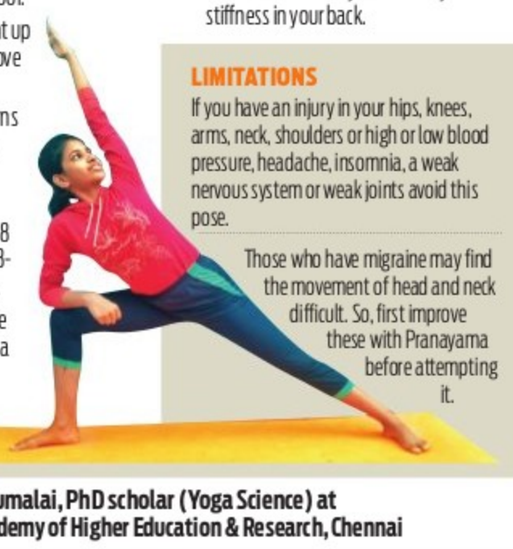
It is a beginner level variation, which involves hip opening, spinal twisting and lateral extension. The support of the elbows work on improving the much needed strength, flexibility, and balance, for performing the final posture.

STEPS

- Warm up your body, perform the routine asanas.
- Come into Tadasana. With a deep exhalation, keep your feet 3–4 feet apart. Turn your right foot outwards 90 degrees to the right so that your toes face the front of your mat. Now turn your left foot slightly inwards 45 to 60 degrees to the right.
- Align your right heel with your left heel. Your thigh must be parallel to the floor and the right knee must be in line with the heel.
- Raise your arms, keeping them parallel to the floor, and palms facing down.
- With a deep inhalation firm your lower belly in and up.
- Stretch your body over the right leg, keeping your right elbow on your knee rather than taking the fingers to the floor.
- Reach your left arm straight up to the tip of your hand above your head or on the top.
- Traditionally, your head turns up to look under your left armpit.
- Once comfortable, stay in the pose for 30 seconds in 8 breaths or 90 seconds in 18-20 breaths approximately.
- Breathe in deeply and come back to Tadasana, rest for a while.
- Repeat on the other side.

BENEFITS

- Helps stretch and shape your body as per the needs of Yoga.
- Stimulates the Manipura Chakra and abdominal organs. They activate the body's energy too.
- Not only stretches but also strengthens the hips, legs, abdomen, knees, palms, and ankles.
- It also works on the core muscles.
- Increases flexibility in the shoulder, neck, and arms.
- Prevents osteoporosis as well as relieves lower back pain.
- More beneficial for those who suffer from sciatica pain.
- It also relieves constipation.
- Opens the chest and shoulders, which can be beneficial if you have any stiffness in your back.



LIMITATIONS

If you have an injury in your hips, knees, arms, neck, shoulders or high or low blood pressure, headache, insomnia, a weak nervous system or weak joints avoid this pose.

Those who have migraine may find the movement of head and neck difficult. So, first improve these with Pranayama before attempting it.

By N Elumalai, PhD scholar (Yoga Science) at Meenakshi Academy of Higher Education & Research, Chennai

NOW STREAMING

REGIONAL

RAANGI (Tamil)

Thaiyal Nayagi, a fearless journalist, learns about her niece being blackmailed and decides to help her. Soon, her investigation gets her embroiled in a terrorist plot.

Cast: Trisha, Anaswara Rajan, John Mahendran

- **Watch on:** Netflix

GARUDA (Kannada)

Vikram, a man on a mission to capture an evil mastermind who destroyed his family and is also a threat to the country.

Cast: Anand, Arasu, Ramesh Bhat

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

ARIYIPPU (Malayalam)

A scandalous video triggers a crisis for a couple working in a factory, unleashing unexpected conflicts in their personal and professional lives.

Cast: Kunchacko Boban, Divya Prabha, Danish Husain

- **Watch on:** Netflix

VEDHA (Telugu)

A once peaceful man, Vedha, goes on a revenge killing spree with his daughter, Kanaka, after she gets released from prison. A daunting inspector Ramaa tries to stop the duo, only to be outrun by them.

Cast: Ganavi Laxman, Shiva Rajkumar, Shwetha Chengappa

- **Watch on:** ZEE5

GOODBYE (Hindi)

A family crumbles when the mother suddenly passes away and the children try to rush home to complete her final rites. However, differing opinions cause clashes among the clan.

Cast: Amitabh Bachchan, Rashmika Mandanna, Neena Gupta

- **Watch on:** Netflix

All the streaming apps can be accessed on smartphones and smart TVs with Internet connection.

SEMBI (Tamil)

A bus named Anbu narrates the stories of its 24 passengers, giving a glimpse of their journey from Kodaikanal to Dindigul.

Cast: Kovai Sarala, Mullai Arasai

- **Watch on:** Disney+Hotstar

INI UTHARAM (Malayalam)

A woman who confesses to a murder claims that the investigating inspector is her accomplice. However, at the crime scene, the suspense intensifies with an unexpected twist.

Cast: Aparna Balamurali, Kalabhavan Shajohn,

- **Watch on:** ZEE5

FOREIGN

AFRICAN FOLKTALES REIMAGINE (Swahili, series)

Six beloved African folktales are boldly reimagined in this multilingual anthology series exploring themes of grief, love and mysticism.

Cast: Loukman Ali, Voline Ogutu, Halima V

- **Watch on:** Netflix

CRASHING (English, series)

Six individuals live in an abandoned hospital as its property guardians and strive hard to deal with their relationships with each other.

Cast: Phoebe Waller-Bridge, Julie Dray, Jonathan Bailey

- **Watch on:** Netflix

THE POWER (English, series)

Teenage girls suddenly and mysteriously develop a special power that allows them to electrocute people at will.

Cast: Toni Collette, Auli'I Cravalho, Toheeb Jimoh

- **Watch on:** Amazon Prime Video

AFTERSUN (English)

Twenty years after their last holiday at a fading vacation resort, Sophie reflects on the rare time spent with her loving and idealistic father Calum.

Cast: Frankie Corio, Paul Mescal, Celia Rowlson Hall

- **Watch on:** Mubi

SUBSCRIPTION

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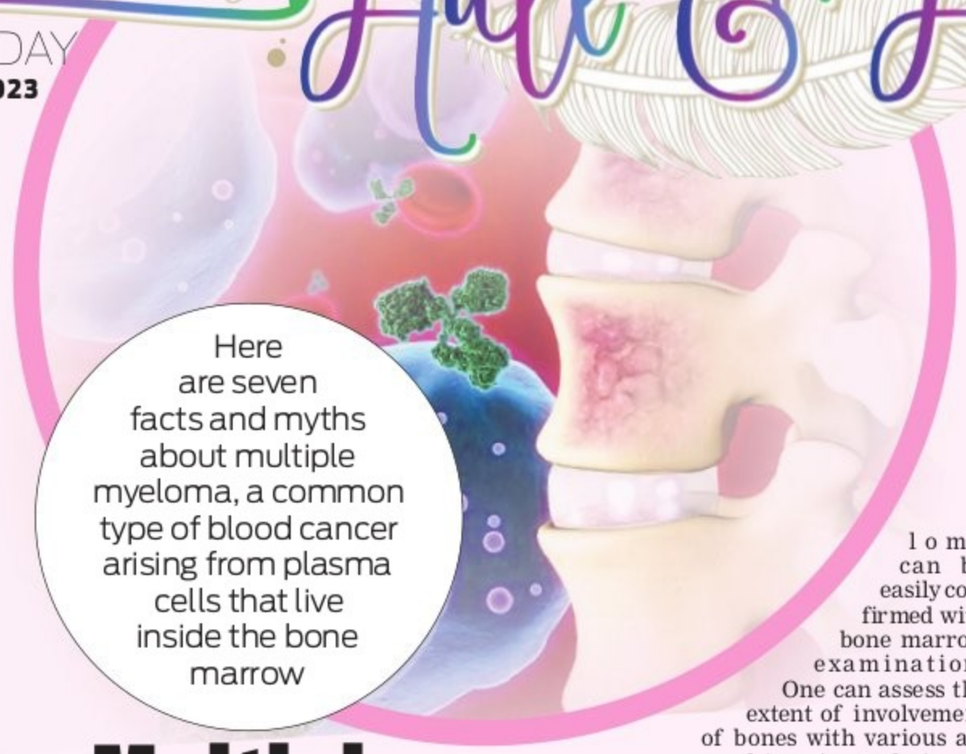
Zee5:	₹ 399 for 3 months
Disney+Hotstar:	₹ 199 for 3 months
Netflix:	₹ 149 per month

Multiple truths



Here are seven facts and myths about multiple myeloma, a common type of blood cancer arising from plasma cells that live inside the bone marrow

DR MALLIKARJUN KALASHETTY

MULTIPLE myeloma is one of the common types of blood cancer arising from plasma cells that live inside the bone marrow. It accounts for about 10–15 per cent of blood cancers. Myeloma incidence in India is about 1.0 per 100,000, but it is likely to gradually increase based on recent data. There is a lack of awareness leading to many myths about the illness, thus let us look at a few of the myths and truths about multiple myeloma.

Multiple myeloma runs in families - Myth

Only about 3 to 5 per cent of patients with multiple myeloma have a family history, the vast majority of myeloma patients don't have a family history of the disease. Mutations causing multiple myeloma are acquired and aren't passed on from a parent's genes to a child.

Multiple myeloma can break bones - Truth

Myeloma is a cancer of plasma cells that live in the bone marrow and becomes malignant. Thus, it can weaken the bones, cause bone pain and make the bones prone to fracture with minimal or no force on them. These fractures are termed pathological fractures which mostly happen in the skull, spine, pelvis, shoulders, ribs, and hips. Some common symptoms of multiple myeloma include bone pain, weakness, and bone fractures.

It is difficult to diagnose multiple myeloma - Myth

Diagnosing multiple myeloma in the present era of cancer diagnosis and therapy is fairly simple and can be achieved promptly. Initial evaluation of patients suspected to have multiple myeloma involves laboratory blood tests to look for blood components, liver and kidney functions, and also to look for an abnormal cancer-related protein called monoclonal para protein.

Diagnosis of multiple myeloma can be easily confirmed with bone marrow examination. One can assess the extent of involvement of bones with various advanced imaging techniques. There are advanced molecular genetic techniques to risk stratify myeloma and all of these can be done in just a couple of days.

Myeloma patients can survive for many years - Truth

Treatment of multiple myeloma has evolved remarkably in the last few decades. Improved understanding of myeloma biology has led to advances in diagnosis, prognosis, response assessment, and also the development of a plethora of treatment therapies such as immunotherapies and cellular therapies. These advances have led to very impressive improvements in the survival rates of myeloma patients. Most patients now have long survival with a good quality of life.

Multiple myeloma is curable - Myth

Presently, there is no cure for multiple myeloma, though we are headed in that direction. But it is now a very treatable cancer and it's possible to keep the cancer under control for a long time.

Myeloma bone marrow transplantation is done with patient's own stem cells - Truth

Most commonly, Autologous Haematopoietic stem cell transplantation is done for myeloma where the patient's own stem cells are re-infused after giving the patient high-dose chemotherapy to kill his/her cancer cells. This procedure helps to control the cancer for a long time.

Treatment of multiple myeloma is painful & involves lots of surgery and radiation – Myth

Multiple myeloma is largely treated with chemo-immunotherapeutic agents, biological agents, and monoclonal antibodies. Treatment does not involve surgical intervention in the majority of patients.

(The writer is consultant - haematology, haematooncology & bone marrow transplantation, Manipal Hospital Old Airport Road)

Periodic boosters keep Covid-19 in check: Study

UPDATED Covid booster shots will be important for shoring up population immunity as new variants emerge, suggests a study. However, the trick is to target a variant for the booster that is so different from the original strain of the virus that it triggers the maturation of new and diverse antibody-producing cells, said scientists from the Washington University School of Medicine in St. Louis.

The first Covid vaccines reduced the risk of severe illness and death by more than 90 per cent. But then the virus changed. The antibodies that had worked so well against the original strain proved less effective at recognising and neutralising emerging variants, leading to breakthrough infections.

The obvious solution was to update the vaccines to target new variants, but the success of the first vaccines against the original strain made designing an effective variant booster shot tricky, said Ali Ellebedy, Associate Professor of pathology and immunology, of medicine, and of molecular microbiology at the varsity.

In the study, published in the journal *Nature*, the team showed that it's possible to design a variant-specific booster that doesn't just strengthen the antibodies people already have but elicits new antibodies. "This means that periodically giving boosters targeting new variants would allow population-level protection to be maintained even as the virus evolves," Ellebedy said.

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, RASHMI SANDEEP (OLD NAME) W/O SANDEEP H P aged about 36 years residing at No No.84, bhoomika Value Homes,1st B Cross , Manasa Nagar, Nagarbhavi 2nd Stage, Bengaluru 560072 I Have Changed My Name as RASHMI N G Affidavit Dated 04-04-2023 Sworn before Notary Deepa M

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **LAKSHMI.G.** (New Name), aged 25 years, Daughter of Late GANGADHAR.Y.N., Residing at NO.66/30, 2ND FLOOR, 14TH CROSS, WEAVERS COLONY, SARAKKI, J.P.NAGAR, 1ST PHASE, BENGALURU-560078, KARNATAKA, declare that I have changed my name from **GAJALAKSHMI.G.** (Old Name) to **LAKSHMI.G.** (New Name), henceforth I shall be known and called as **LAKSHMI.G.** (New Name)for all my personal, official & legal purpose, vide Affidavit dated : 28/03/2023 before Notary **GANGARAJU.B.N.** at BENGALURU

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **PARVESH,** W/o. Late Surinder Pal Gupta, aged 65yrs, Residing at C/o. Nikhil Gupta, Flat No. 1306 Tower-1, Purva Skydale, Silver County Road, Off Harlur Road, NA Kudlu Bommanahalli, Bengaluru-560068, have changed my name to **PARVESH GUPTA,** vide affidavit dated: 05.04.2023 before notary **GANGARAJU .B.N.,** Bengaluru.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **CHIDANANDA MURTHY,** aged about 52 years, S/o. Virannayya residing at: No. 615, 3rd Main, 4th Cross, BEML Layout, 5th Stage, 2nd Phase, Bangalore-560098, **have declared that my names CHIDANANDA MURTHY and M V CHIDANANDA MURTHY belongs to me only, and both names belongs to one and the same person, have decided to continue my name in future as CHIDANANDA MURTHY** vide affidavit dated 05-04-2023 sworn before Advocate & Notary Harisha .G, Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **(OLD NAME) MITHUN KUMAR RAMESH KUMAR,** aged about 36 years, S/o. Ramesh Kumar Nathmal Jain, residing at No. 12, Flat No. 102, Arihanth Opel Apartments, Girls School Street, Seshadripuram, Bengaluru-560020, have changed my name to **(NEW NAME) MITHUN KUMAR RAMESH KUMAR JAIN** vide affidavit Dated 01/04/2023 sworn before Notary Gangaraju.B.N., Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SARA NAIL SIDDIQUE**, resident of No. # 29, Behind DAT Masjid, Sadashivanagara 2nd Stage, Tumakuru, Karnataka - 572 102, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SARA NAIL** to **SARA NAIL SIDDIQUE** vide affidavit dated 05.04.2023 sworn to before M. Rajendra, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **(OLD NAME) FAIZAN,** residing at #C201, Tower-C, Century Breeze Apartments, Nehru Nagar, Old Post Office Road, Shivanahalli, Yelahanka, Bangalore-560064, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) FAIZAN** to **(NEW NAME) FAIZAN KANTH** vide affidavit Dated 05/04/2023 sworn before Notary B.V.Nagabhushana, Bangalore.

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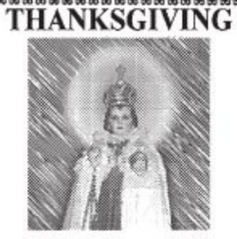

Thank you for the favors & blessings received. continue to bless us with the favors we seek.
SRINIVAS & FAMILY

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **KOLLAMMA SOMASEKHAR,** S/o Late Kollama Gari Ganganna, aged about 44 years, residing at No.28, 8th Main, Hoysala Nagar, Ramamurthy Nagar, Bangalore - 560016. have changed my name from **"KOLLAMMA SOMASEKHAR"** to **"SOMASEKHAR KOLLAMMA GARI"** by affidavit sworn before the Notary public, **Bangalore on 31st march 2023.** Henceforth, I shall be known as **"SOMASEKHAR KOLLAMMA GARI"** for all purposes.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mrs. SHILPASHREE DIXIT,** W/o Anand R Sutar, age 40 years, R/at #06, 3r Floor, Sri Sai Apartment, 4th Main, 4th Cross, Vinayaka Layout, Bhoopasandra, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560 094 do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **Kum. AARUSHI ANAND R SUTAR** to **Kumari ARYA DIXIT,** henceforth she shall be known and called as **Kumari ARYA DIXIT** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 5th April 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **R. SULAKSHANA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SUSHMA** spouse of JWO Suneel Kumar resident of P-597/5, 7th Camp, Air Force Station Jalahalli East, Bengaluru - 560013, have changed my name from **SUSHMA** to **SUSHMA SHARMA,** vide Affidavit Dated 04-04-2023 Before Advocate and Notary **S PRAKASH,** Reg No. 7865/09 Bangalore Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, BHANSALI SANTOSH, W/o Ravi Kumar N Jain, R/at #102/40, B.B.T. Street, Near White Temple, Mamulpet, Bengaluru-560053, have changed my name from BHANSALI SANTOSH to SANTOSH R JAIN vide affidavit dated 05-04-2023 before Notary P. N. Nagesha, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Deepthi Nair**, Mother of Aanya Nair, Resident of No. 1493, AECS Layout, E-Block, 6th Main, 2nd Cross, Kundalahalli, Bangalore - 560 037, do hereby declare that I have changed my daughter's name from **Aanya Arjun** to **Aanya Nair** vide affidavit dated 10.03.2023 sworn to before Prakasha .C, Advocate & Notary, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **(OLD NAME) ARCHANA R,** residing at No. 94, 6th Main Road, New Bagalur Layout, Bangalore North, Bangalore-560084, Karnataka, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) ARCHANA R** to **(NEW NAME) R ANGAMMAL** vide affidavit Dated 29/03/2023 sworn before Notary L.Gopalakrishna, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **(OLD NAME) RASNE ZAKEER,** residing at No. 138/1, 2nd Main Road, 40 Feet Main Road, M.S.Nagar, 3rd Stage, Thirumenahalli, Yelahanka, Bangalore-560064, have changed my name from **(OLD NAME) RASNE ZAKEER** to **(NEW NAME) RASNE RAHIM** vide affidavit Dated 05/04/2023 sworn before Notary B.V.Nagabhushana, Bangalore.

THANKSGIVING

Thank you for blessings and favours granted. Seek your blessings always.
PUNIT, SHOBHA, NARESH.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ARCHANA DEVI** W/o Ravindra Kumar Pandey, Resident at No.B-506, VRR Nest Apartment, Baretena Agrahara, Electronic City-560100. Do hereby declare as per my degree Certificate my name has been mentioned as **ARCHANA DEVI** and in 10th and 12th documents my name is **SMT. ARCHANA DEVI**. In my Aadhar Card and in my Husbands service documents my name is mentioned as **ARCHANA PANDEY**. Both the names belongs to me only and henceforth my name will be **ARCHANA DEVI**, Vide affidavit dated 04.04.2023 sworn to before Advocate and Notary **B M Chandrashekar**, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHARIFUNISSA IMRAN**, W/o Mohammed Imran, R/at No. 40/3, New Market Road, Shivajinagar, bangalore-560 051 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SHARFUNISSA** to **SHARIFUNISSA IMRAN**, henceforth I shall be known and called as **SHARIFUNISSA IMRAN** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 5th April 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **L. GOPALAKRISHNA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **KRISH RAJ** son of JWO Suneel Kumar resident of - 597/5, 7th Camp, Air Force Station Jalahalli East, Bengaluru - 560013, have changed my name from **KRISH RAJ** to **KRISH RAJ SHARMA,** vide Affidavit Dated 04-04-2023 Before Advocate and Notary **S PRAKASH,** Reg No. 7865/09 Bangalore Karnataka.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, RAVI KUMAR, S/o Nemkumar K Jain, R/at #102/40, B. B. T. Street, Near White Temple, Mamulpet, Bengaluru-560053, have changed my name from RAVI KUMAR to RAVI KUMAR N JAIN vide affidavit dated 05-04-2023 before Notary P. N. Nagesha, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHOBHA .R**, W/o. Late Shankar Rao & D/o. Ramarao Savanth, Aged about 41 years, (Date of Birth : 01.01.1982), residing at # 48/4, 5th Main, 6th Cross, Raghavendra Colony, Chamarajpet, Bengaluru - 560 018, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **RENUKA .R** to **SHOBHA .R** vide affidavit dated 5.4.2023 sworn to before P.N. Nagesha, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **VIJYETA GAGNANI**, Resident of No. # 24, Byrathi Village, Byrathi, Doddagubbi, Kothanur, Bengaluru - 560 077, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **VIJYETA ERNEST** to **VIJYETA GAGNANI** vide affidavit dated 05.04.2023 sworn to before M. Rajendra, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

OTHERS

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THE MIRACLE PRAYER

Dear Heart of Jesus. in the past. I have asked for many favors. This time. I ask you this very special favor (mention favor). Take it dear Heart of Jesus, and place it within your own broken heart where your Father sees it. Then in his merciful eyes it will become your favor. not mine.
Amen. Say this prayer for 3 days, promise publication and favor will be granted. no matter how impossible. Never known to fail.
Thank you for the favors, graces and blessings received, seeking continous blessings on my family always
Joseph George

CHANGE OF NAME

I, PRASANNA KUMAR B.R. R/a #15/5, 3rd Floor, 9th Cross, Shakambarinagar, J.P.Nagar 1st Phase, Bangalore- 560078 Have Changed My Minor Son Name From P. GIRINANDAN to P. ANVIK RAJATH RAJ vide Affidavit Dated 05-04-2023 Before Notary Ramesh .J. Solanki, Bengaluru

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **DINESH PULIPATI BHASKAR,** aged 46yrs, S/o. Bhaskar Naidu Pulipati, R/at No. 113, 11th Main Road, 4th 'T' Block, Jayanagara, Bengaluru-560041, have changed my name to **DINESH PULIPATI,** vide affidavit dated: 04.04.2023 before notary **GANGARAJU .B.N.,** Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ASADULLA,** S/o Syed Afzal, R/at 1st Cross, Near Jani Bhai Compound, D.J. Halli, Bangalore North, Bangalore-45, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ASADUULLA** to **ASADULLA,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **ASADULLA** only, vide affidavit dated 05-04-2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **N. KANCHIVARADARAJU** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, KOTAGA ASHA NAGAPPA, W/o Balbheem Saibanna, R/at #G16, S.L.S. Sarovar Apartnents, A Block, 2nd Main, 10th Cross, Sir M. V. Layout, Thindlu, Vidyaranyapura Post, Bangalore- 560097, have changed my name from KOTAGA ASHA NAGAPPA to ASHA BALBHEEM MAILARE vide affidavit dated 27-03-2023 before Notary M. Lakshmaiah, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **CHANDRAMANI SHARMA**, Aged about 37 years, S/o. Ram Chandra Sharma, Flat No. 3D, A Block, Aratt Adora Apartment, Carmelaram, Chikkabellandur, Bengaluru - 560 035, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **CHANDRAMANI** to **CHANDRAMANI SHARMA** vide affidavit dated 04.04.2023 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SRISHTI SAMANT**, Resident of No. # 208, A Block, Sangeetha Apartment, 5th Cross, Malleshwaram, Bengaluru - 560 003, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SRISHTI P SAMANT** also previously known as **SRISHTI PREMPRAKASH SAMANT** to **SRISHTI SAMANT** vide affidavit dated 05.04.2023 sworn to before M. Rajendra, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

THANKSGIVING

Thanks for all the Favours & Blessings received, Bless our Family always. **RICHARD FLORENCE AND FAMILY.**

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Thanks for all the Favours & Blessings received, Bless our Family always. **RICHARD FLORENCE AND FAMILY.**

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **GEETA PUNAD** W/o **LAKSHMAN** R/at No-341. Ward No 01 Ingalagi ,Mudhol Bagalkot -587313 Have Changed my name to **GEETA SUNAGAR** vide affidavit dated: 5/4/2023 Before Notary **K V Mani** Bangalore.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **T JAYACHANDRAN,** S/o Chokkalingam Thyagarajan, age 72 years, R/at No. 27, Viswesvaraiah Road, Jai Bharathi Nagar, Bengaluru do hereby declare that both the names i.e. **T. JAYACHANDRAN** (T is referred as THYAGARAJAN) and **JAYACHANDRAN** are one and the same and refers to me only, henceforth I shall be known and called as **THYAGARAJAN JAYACHANDRAN** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 3rd April 2023, sworn before Advocate and Notary **N.H. POORNIMA** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Mrs.ARUNA.M@ARUNA BAVIKA.M@ ARUNA BAVIKA.K,** aged about 36 years, wife of Mr.M.V.Kishore Kumaar, residing at No.54, 1st Floor, Nanjappa Layout, Yelachenahalli, Near Alyappa Swamy Temple, Opp.To Sharavanthi Alpyne Apartment, Kanakapura Road, Bangalore-560 078, have declared that my names ARUNA.M@ ARUNA BAVIKA.M@ARUNA BAVIKA.K and ARUNA BHAVIKA belongs to me only, and both names belongs to one and the same person, have decided to continue my name in future as **ARUNA BHAVIKA.** vide affidavit dated 05-04-2023 sworn before Advocate & Notary Hegde Ganapati Venkataraman, Bengaluru

AFFIDAVIT

I, **JAVERIA SULTANA. M,** D/o Mohammed Inayath Majid, aged about 23 years, Residing at No.8, 4th Cross, H.B.R. Layout, al Hilal Masjid, Bangalore-560043, Karnataka. Do hereby Solemnly affirm and Declare that my correct name is **'JAVERIA SULTANA. M'** but in my **passport Vide No.J7957028** my name is wrongly mentioned as **JAVARIA SULTANA** instead of **'JAVERIA SULTANA.M'** vide Affidavit dated 05.04.2023, Sworn before R.S.Vijay, Notary, Govt of India, at Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **SHARATH MITHRA**, Aged about 35 years, S/o. Mukkya Mantri Chandru, A8 Block, No. 1801, Elita Promenade, 7th Phase, J.P. Nagar, Bengaluru - 560 078, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **SHARATH CHANDRU** to **SHARATH MITHRA** vide affidavit dated 04.04.2023 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MYRA N JAIN**, Aged about 27 years, D/o. G Nemichand Jain, No. 17, 4th Cross, Shankarapuram, Bangalore - 560 004, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **ANJALI VEEREN JAIN** to **MYRA N JAIN** vide affidavit dated 05.04.2023 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

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CHANGE OF NAME

I, **Stuthi Anya Jampana** earlier called as Venkata Naga Lakshmi Jampana daughter of Kasi Viswa Rama Raju Jampana, aged about 45 years, presently residing at No. J-1405, Purva Venezia Apartments, 1st Phase, Yelahanka New Town, Bangalore 560 064, have denounced my earlier name **Venkata Naga Lakshmi Jampana** vide affidavit dated 31st March, 2023 before Notary **Mr. Gangaraju B. N.,** Bangalore. That for all purposes at all times hereafter in all records, deeds and writings and in all proceedings, dealings and transactions I use the name of **"Stuthi Anya Jampana"**, hence forth I shall be called as **"Stuthi Anya Jampana"** only.

AFFIDAVIT

I, **G. SEETHARAM,** S/o Gopal, age 45 years, R/o No. 595, 75 'B' Cross, 6th Block, Rajajinagar, Bangalore-560 010 do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **G. SEETHARAM** to **G. NAKUL,** henceforth I shall be known and called as **G. NAKUL** only for all purposes, vide affidavit dated 27-11-2013, sworn before Advocate and Notary **H.H. NAGARAJ** at Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **ANIL** S/o. A.B. Ganesh Ivan, Residing at Krushi Nilaya, Chikkagubbi Road, Gundlu Thopu Doddagubbi, Dr. Shivarama Karanth Nagar, Bangalore 560077, have changed my name to **ANIL MIRANDA** vide affidavit dated 05.04.2023 sworn to before Y.R. Chandrasekar Advocate and Notary, Bangalore

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **(OLD NAME) SINDHU UMAPATHY,** aged about 31 years, W/o. Ramesh Subramani, residing at No. 8A, 7th Cross, 27th Main, 1st Sector, HSR Layout, Bengaluru-560102, have changed my name to **(NEW NAME) SINDHU UMAPATHY RAMESH** vide affidavit Dated 05/04/2023 sworn before Notary B.V.Nagabhushana, Bangalore.

CHANGE OF NAME

I, **MEDHA MITHRA**, Aged about 32 years, W/o. Sharath Mithra, A8 Block, No. 1801, Elita Promenade, 7th Phase, J.P. Nagar, Bengaluru - 560 078, do hereby declare that I have changed my name from **MEDHA RAO** to **MEDHA MITHRA** vide affidavit dated 04.04.2023 sworn to before K.V. Mani, Advocate & Notary, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

CHANGE OF NAME

We, **NITIN AGRAWAL**, S/o. Santosh Kumar Agrawal, Aged about 50 years and **KOSARAJU MAMATA KRISHNA**, W/o. Nitin Agrawal, Aged about 49 years, both residing at No. 68, Prestige Ozone, Hagadur Main Road, Whitefiled, Bangalore - 560 066, do hereby declare that we have changed our minor son's name from **KOSARAJU ROSHAN AGRAWAL** to **ROSHAN KOSARAJU AGRAWAL** vide affidavit dated 05.04.2023 sworn to before T.C. Thimmaraja, Advocate & Notary Public, Govt. of India, Bengaluru.

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A still from the film

Court rules in favour of Ramya in *Swathi Mutthina Male Haniye* title case

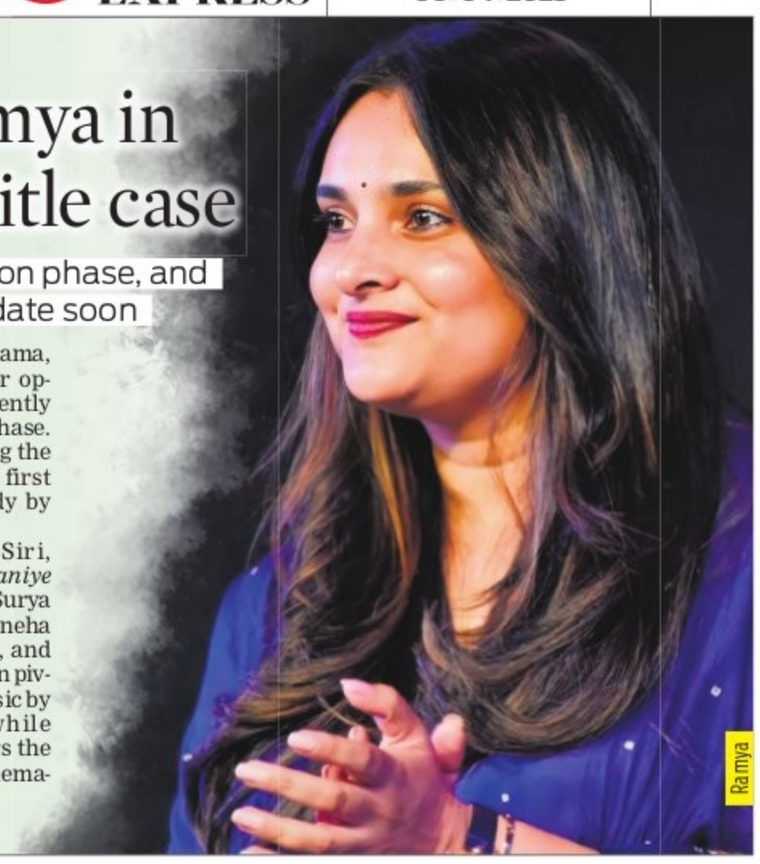
The Raj B Shetty directorial is now in the post-production phase, and the makers are planning to announce the release date soon

CE FEATURES

FOR weeks now, actor Ramya's maiden production, *Swathi Mutthina Male Haniye*, directed by Raj B Shetty, was facing a title row, which finally has reached a resolution. The city civil court ruled in favour of Ramya's Apple Box Studios and allowed her to use the title for the film. Earlier, filmmaker Rajendra Singh Babu had appealed to the court to disallow Ramya from using the title and received a stay order, which was now lifted by the Court.

Swathi Mutthina Male Haniye, billed as a romantic drama, and stars Siri Ravikumar opposite Raj B Shetty, is currently in the post-production phase. The makers are discussing the release strategy with the first copy expected to be ready by April 15.

Apart from Raj and Siri, *Swathi Mutthina Male Haniye* also stars Balaji Manohar, Surya Vasishta, Rekha Kudligi, Sneha Sharma, JP Thumminad, and Gopalkrishna Deshpande in pivotal roles. The film has music by Midhun Mukundan, while Praveen Shriyan shoulders the dual responsibility of cinematographer and editor.



Ramya

YUVARAJKUMAR TO START SHOOTING FOR *YUVA* ON APRIL 9

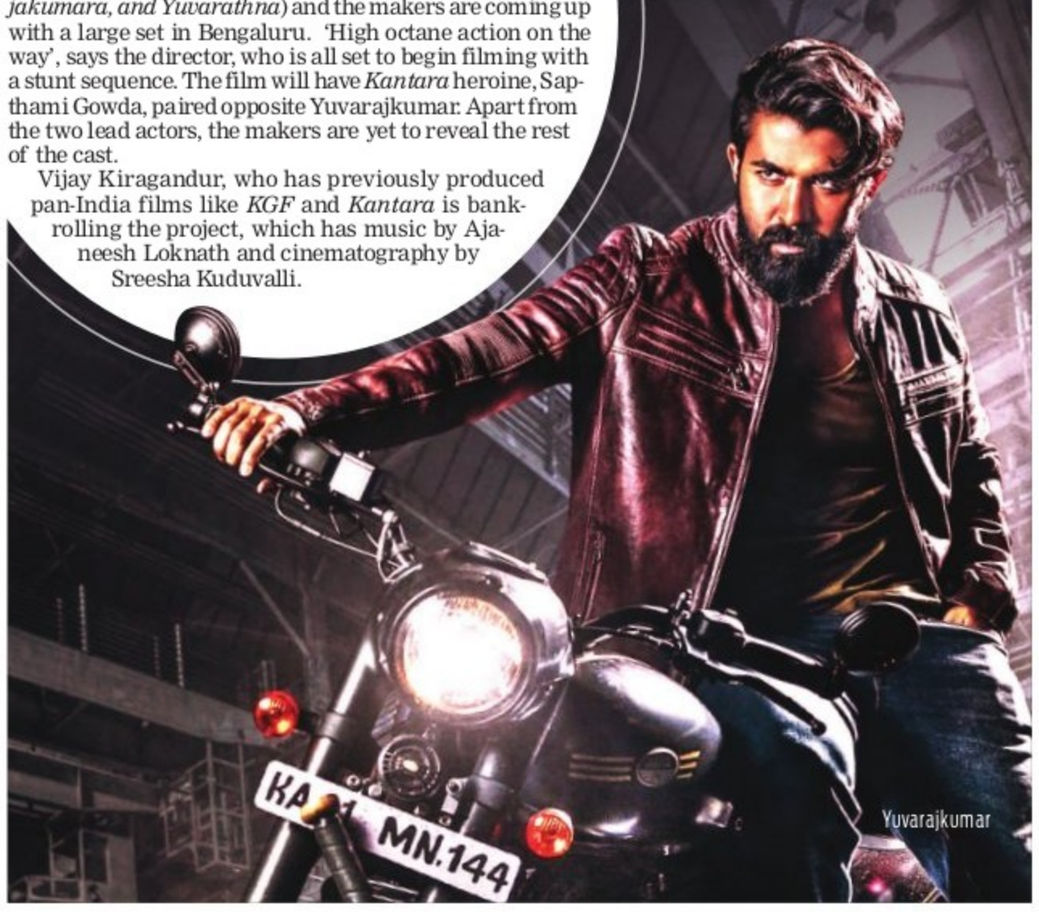
The Santhosh Ananddram directorial is produced by Vijay Kiragandur

A SHARADHAA

YUVARAJKUMAR launch vehicle, *Yuva*, bankrolled by Hombale Films has been creating a buzz since the time of its announcement, The title of the film was announced on March 3 along with a teaser. According to our source close to the film unit, the team is all set to kickstart shooting on April 9.

The youthful commercial entertainer is directed by Santhosh Ananddram, (*Mr and Mrs Ramachari, Raajakumara, and Yuvarathna*) and the makers are coming up with a large set in Bengaluru. 'High octane action on the way', says the director, who is all set to begin filming with a stunt sequence. The film will have *Kantara* heroine, Sapthami Gowda, paired opposite Yuvarajkumar. Apart from the two lead actors, the makers are yet to reveal the rest of the cast.

Vijay Kiragandur, who has previously produced pan-India films like *KGF* and *Kantara* is bankrolling the project, which has music by Ajaneesh Loknath and cinematography by Sreesha Kuduvalli.



Yuvarajkumar

VEERAM RELAUNCHES ME AS A MASS HERO

...says Prajwal Devaraj, talking about his upcoming release, his confidence on debutant director Khadar Kumar and happy to be fulfilling the wish of his fans

CE FEATURES

Prajwal Devaraj is all excited for his first release of 2023, *Veeram*. The actor, who has watched the film is confident that the Khadar Kumar's directorial will relaunch him as a mass hero. "It is been a long time since I was part of a mass film. For sometime, I kept working on realistic stories, cop dramas and comedies. I am glad to be returning to a commercial film, which also has strong emotions. Kitty and Sruthi play as my siblings, and Achyuth Kumar as my brother-in-law in the film and our roles reflect the bonding in everyone's family. The love angle with Rachita Ram has also worked out well making it a perfect mass commercial entertainer. I consider it as one of my best films," says Prajwal, who added that he is happy to have fulfilled his fans wishes. "They kept asking, when I will come be back to doing films like *Geleya*, and *Gulama*. Veeram is my answer to them."

Ask the actor about his faith in debutant director Khadar Kumar, and he says,"Khadar is a fanatic of cinema since his childhood days, and he has written stories while in school. Some directors have the knack to elevate the heroes on the silver screen with their writing and making, Khadar has done an impressive job with that. Moreover, he comes with 15 years of experience working with other filmmakers, and he was technically confident," says Prajwal, adding, "The director without giving prominence to just action, has brought in required essence of emotions and love into the story.the story.

Prajwal Devaraj

The film will be directed by first-time director Venu and the project will begin in September

Prajwal Devaraj to debut in Telugu with *NRI*

CE FEATURES

Apart from *Veeram*, Prajwal Devaraj has completed shooting for *Gana* and wrapped up his other project *Mafia*, which is now in post-production stage. He also has another project with *Mafia* director Lohith H, which is currently on floors and he plays a pivotal role in *Tatsma Tatbava*.

Meanwhile, Prajwal also gearing up to debut in a new language. The actor, who is in his 16th year of film journey and predominantly working in Kannada films will now be making his debut in Telugu. Titled *NRI*, the Telugu film will mark the directorial debut of Venu, and the film in all likelihood will take off in September. What took the actor such a long time? "When an actor already has an image, and people loves him in a certain way, I think he should be extremely careful in how he projects himself in another industry. I did get a couple of offers but did not materialise. But the story of *NRI* penned by Venu what caught my attention. This director has had expreince of working under RB Choudary banner as an associate and co-director. This will be an interesting debut for me in Telugu, and for the director."

About how the production house chose him for project, and he says,. "I was curious to know, why I was chosen for this role, when I was told by the makers, they saw my film, *Inspector Vikram*, and were keen to cast me for *NRI*."

The film will be reportedly made only in Telugu and will be dubbed into other languages later.

All about a secret agent mom

KARTIK BHARDWAJ

DIRECTOR Anushree Mehta always knew she wanted to celebrate her mother through her debut feature. She has traversed the road frequented by writers and directors without a 'connection' in the Hindi film industry, the milestones of which include writing for crime shows like C.I.D and Savdhaan India and making a short (*Unkahee, 2020*). She is wearing the director's hat for the first time for a feature film, *Mrs Undercover*, a quirky tale of a homemaker/ mother who is actually a secret agent.

"Before making my first film, I knew I had to celebrate my mother through it and show how she dedicated her life to take care of our house as a homemaker. I wanted my film to have a social message but not be preachy. The entertainment factor was extremely important. I love the spy-comedy genre so I thought why not have it in an Indian context," she says.

Over the years, Hollywood has peppered humour over the thrill of a spy movie, (*Johnny English, Get Smart*) but still there has been a dearth of female protagonists in such films. "In Hindi Cinema this genre isn't explored much but even in the West there are not many spy-comedies with female leads. Only *Miss Congeniality* and *Spy* come to mind. With *Mrs Undercover,* I wanted to amalgamate the close-knit family setup of Indian society with the high-stakes of a spy film," says Anushree.

The director shares that she always had Radhika Apte in mind while writing the script. "I had seen her work. She is like a chameleon and she made the character very real. I remember narrating the script to her and five minutes into it she told me she is on board," she says.

When it comes to casting, Anushree made a peculiar choice of using Sumeet Vyas in a negative role. Sumeet is the quintessential nice guy, at least on OTT with TVF series like Permanent Roommates and Tripling. In Mrs Undercover, however, he plays a serial killer who targets "strong and independent women."

"Because of his previous roles, Sumeet has been compartmentalized as the 'nice guy'. His character is called 'The Common Man' and this imagery of him as a nice man came in handy for the role. Misogyny is ingrained in people, you never know if the cordial man sitting next to you in a café is a sexist serial killer," she says.

Anushree herself faced certain judgment in the industry. "After all I am a female director," she says. "There were people who were not sure if I could handle a set on my own. They didn't say it to my face but it hurt their ego that a woman is instructing them. But it was my job. A director has no gender."

Mrs Undercover is produced by Abir Sengupta and Anushree. Also starring Rajesh Sharma and Saheb Chatterjee, the film premieres on ZEE5 on April 14.

Anushree Mehta's directorial debut Mrs Undercover stars Radhika Apte, Sumeet Vyas, Rajesh Sharma and Saheb Chatterjee

'Ramachari 2.0 is a science-fiction film'

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THEJ, who made a strong debut with *Rewind,* is back with his second outing, *Ramachari 2.0.* The scientist-turned-filmmaker shares a few details about his next, which is slated to hit the screens on April 7. "We already have *Nagarahavu's* Ramachari and *Mr. and Mrs. Ramachari* too. My Ramachari 2.0 is a science fiction film that is about the titular character, an intellectual, who is the grandson of a popular personality named Ramachari in Chitradurga. How the younger Ramachari discovers his bloodline and controls the future using the law of lineage and karma form the crux of this film," says Thej, who is also playing Ramachari in this film.

Ramachari 2.0, which stars Kaustuba Mani as the female lead, also has Raghavendra Rajkumar, Vijay Chendoor, Sparsha Rekha, and Chandana playing important roles. With Thej also taking up the responsibilities of a producer, the film has music scored by Pradyoth.

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